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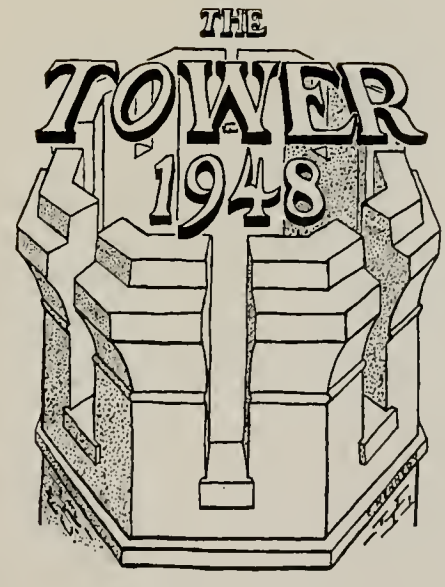
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THE 1948 TOWER

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DEDICATION

The 1948 Tower is dedicated in memory of Mr. Leslie G. Somerville who devoted his life to the field of education and served in this College since 1931.

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FEATURES

TOWER DANCE

ATTENDANTS: Dorothy June Masters and Margaret Fisher

The suspense mounted as the spotlights flashed on and the trumpets sounded a royal fanfare. The tension was broken by cheers and applause as the 1947 Tower Queen, Mary Garrett, assisted by Leon Dreps, rolled back the sides of the medieval tower revealing the 1948 Tower Queen, Helen Louise Fisher, seated upon her throne. Queen Helen was surrounded by her four gracious attendants, Dorothy June Masters, Julia Sheumaker, Joan Miller, and Margaret Fisher.

The coronation ceremony followed with John Parham, Tower Editor placing the sparkling crown, which was carried by petite Jean Joan Zirbel, upon Queen Helen's head giving her free reign over the events of the evening. Jack Summers, Tower Business Manager, presented the queen with a beautiful arm bouquet of roses.

After the ceremony, Queen Helen, her attendants, the 1947 queen and their escorts danced to the queen's waltz as the audience looked on.

A short program followed with Rex Moyer as master-of-ceremonies. Ruth McDowell played "Czarda" on her violin and Margaret Bowness sang "Ballerina". After the program everyone retired to the lounge for refreshments which were served by Rachael Robinson and Mrs. Anna Parham, assisted by Ruth Wyatt.

A medieval theme was carried out. A large backdrop behind the orchestra depicted a fairytale castle upon a hill. The queen's tower and throne were medieval, as were the old family crests which decorated the walls. A large fountain with a cascade of pastel lights decorated one corner of the floor. The lounge was made comfortable by many chairs and tables where those who grew weary rested, exchanged witticisms and played cards. The serving table in the lounge was beautifully decorated with a glittering representation of a medieval castle as a centerpiece.

It was agreed that the 1948 TOWER DANCE WAS AS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL AS ANY of the year's formal events.

ATTENDANTS: Julia Sheumaker and Joan Miller

MISS HELEN FISHER

Queen of the 1948 Tower

MISS MARGARET CURRY, HOMECOMING QUEEN

Attendants: Dolores Keown, Maxine McDermott, Kathryn Espey, Sue Philp

HOMECOMING

Airplanes droned overhead, bands blasted the air waves, and portraits of certain college misses graced the halls and adorned ink blotters. What did all of this mean? It was the campaign for Homecoming Queen.

The big weekend of October 31 was begun by the building of a huge bonfire which started the pep rally. The scene shifted to the college auditorium where the Variety Show consisting of skits prepared by different campus organizations was held. First place went to the Tri Sig-Phi Sig Band; second place went to the Alpha Sigma "Minstrel Show", and third place was won by the A.C.E. with their "Ten Little Indians." No Homecoming activity overshadowed the unveiling of the *Bearcat* presented by the Art Department.

A burst of applause came from the packed auditorium as the curtain slowly opened to reveal Queen Margaret Curry and her four attendants, Sue Philp, Dolores Keown, Kathryn Espey and Maxine McDermott.

The prize winning float of the Homecom-

SCHOOL DAYS

DOWN

MISS KATIE ESPE

CAFE
Welcome.
ALUMNI

BEARCATS
N.W.M.S.T.C

HOMECOMING

ing Parade was sponsored by the A.C.E. Second prize went to the float decorated by Kappa Omicron Phi Fraternity. Third prize went to the Ag Club for their novel, "This is no bull" float.

In the afternoon the Bearcat team fought the Indians on a soggy field, the result; a disappointing scoreless tie.

As the climax of a most wonderful weekend, happy, radiant gals and glowing, if fatigued, men danced in the beautifully decorated gym to the music of Warren Durrett and his orchestra.

The general committee responsible for the success of Homecoming was composed of Dr. John Harr, chairman; Mrs. Ramona Canton, Mr. Sterling Surrey, and Miss Jean Bush.

CHRISTMAS

The traditional yuletide, "Hanging of the Greens" was held at Residence Hall Sunday afternoon, December 14. The members of the Dance Club portrayed by words and dance the merriment of the people of long ago as they decorated their homes for the Christmas season. The Spirit of Christmas, Marilyn Partridge kindled the yule log and the Queen of Misrule, Dolores Keown hung the mistletoe in the center of the room.

Following the ceremony the girls of Residence Hall held Open House for their parents and friends.

FESTIVITIES

Midst the rays of soft lights and the strains of familiar music, the annual Christmas Ball was held the evening of December 13, in the college gymnasium.

Upon entering the ballroom through an arched doorway, guests found themselves in a blue and silver fairyland of Christmas scenes centered by a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree.

The music was furnished by Bradley Moore and his band. Dean Steeby was the featured vocalist.

Refreshments were served from a table which was decorated with a laughing snowman.

LIFE ON

RESIDENCE HALL COUNCIL

Top Row: Mrs. Nell Thompson, *Sponsor;* Janet Andler, Margaret Ford, Roberta Robertson, Helen Sutton, Margaret Wade, Margaret Turner.

Row 2: Jeanne Bahl, *Secretary;* Thelma Oyerly, *President;* Shirley Burger, *Treasurer;* Betty Martin.

Not Shown: Irma Jensen, Doris Gillispie, Margaret Curry, Norma Scowden.

THE CAMPUS

QUAD COUNCIL

Top Row: Charles Rupe, *Reporter;* Charles Green, Mr. Lon Wilson, *Sponsor;* Marion Freeman, Ross Johnson, Charles Derstler.

Row 2: James Waller, Basil Hoehn, Byron Baker, *Mayor;* Maurice Geist, Homer Long.

Not Shown: William Gamble, *Secretary.*

WALKOUT DAY

Walkout Day this year came as a surprise to students and faculty as the trumpet sounded in the halls denoting a day of freedom and merrymaking.

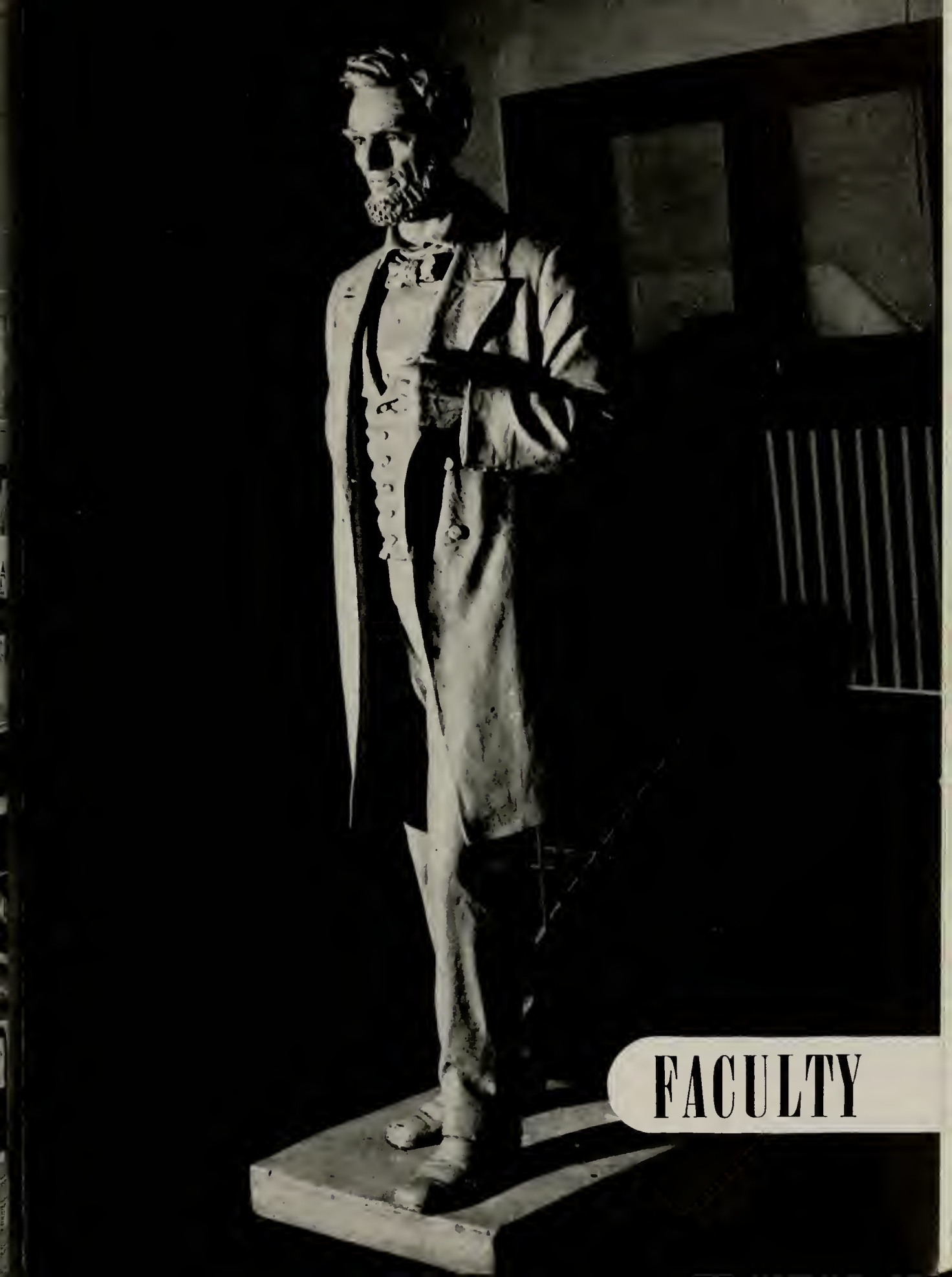
The freshman class was put through the traditional humiliation and humorous initiation by upper classmen. An all school picnic was held in College Park after initiation.

In the evening an all school dance honored the freshman class.

CANDID SHOTS

1. Carrying the Torch for Curry, 2. Whatta Ball, 3. Shotgun Wedding, 4. Smile Pretty, 5. The Ottumwa Bombshell, 6. You Name It!!, 7. Playboy??, 8. Johnson Over Easy, 9. Is He Dead Klang??, 10. Bottle Babies, 11. The Awaited Day, 12. Look Who's Working On the Levee, 13. Pretty Dog?, 14. It's Not So!!, 15. Judge Surrey??, 16. Booby Trap, 17. Hog!!, 18. Justice Triumphs, 19. Where's Your Tooth, Honey?, 20. I Guess I'll Get the Paper and Go Home, 21. Aren't They Sweet?, 22. Punch??, 23. Latin American Beauties.

Coca-Cola
BLUEL'S
BEARCATS
N.W.M.S.T



FACULTY

DR. J. W. JONES
President of the College

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Towers, the Bearcat, the quotation carved above the entrance to the Administration Building—these are symbolic of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College. The Towers and Bearcat belong exclusively to your college. They are a part of your college life—they will live in your memory as symbols reminiscent of your years in college. "And the truth shall make you free" applies to all mankind but you will always think of it whenever you see or hear it as being *your* quotation. It is good to have tangible things, to recall to mind this record of the year 1947-1948.

The Tower Staff is to be congratulated on this excellent book, but it would not have had these events to record were it not for the student body of the college. Live again, then, as you turn these pages of your 1948 Tower, those exciting events which have made this a year of student accomplishment.

In the shadow of the Towers you have lived a full year, a year that has helped you as educated people to grow into better citizens. "And the truth shall make you free."

The 1948 Tower is your record of the year of 1947-1948 at your college.

R. W. Jones

President

The President's Residence

Left to right, Mr. W. A. Rickenbrode, *Secretary to Board of Regen's;* Mr. H. V. Neece, *Business Manager of College;* Mr. R. L. Douglas, *St. Joseph;* Dr M. C. Cunningham, *Dean of Faculty;* Mr. A. B. Kammerer, *Chillicothe;* Mr. James Curry, *Oregon;* Mr. M. E. Ford, *Maryville;* Dr. J. W. Jones, *President of College;* Mr Alan F. Wherritt, *Liberty;* Mr. J. V. Gaddy, *St. Joseph;* Mr. Hubert Wheeler, *Commissioner of Education, Jefferson City.*

BOARD OF REGENTS

Behind the planning for better educational efficiency in any college must be a certain group who through their conscious efforts, willing cooperation, and reliable advice determine the best possible means of management for progressive education. Such are the duties of the Board of Regents.

The Board of Regents of this College is composed of seven members. They are appointed by the governor. They work with President Jones and decide the most efficient course of action.

DEAN OF FACULTY

Dr. M. C. Cunningham became Dean of the Faculty in 1945. He had previously been head of the Education Department of the College. Dean Cunningham received his Bachelor of Arts Degree at Westminster College in Fulton, Missouri, Master of Arts and Doctor of Education Degrees at the University of Missouri. He also spent some time as director of finance in the State Department of Education before coming to the College.

Dean Cunningham handles the affairs and problems of students and faculty with a degree of efficiency and fairness unsurpassed on the campus.

The warm smile, the friendly greeting, and the interest displayed toward every one have endeared the Dean to all those attending the college.

Mrs. Harry Sheetz,
Dean of Women.

Mr. Lon Wilson,
Dean of Men

DEAN OF WOMEN

Mrs. Sheetz, during her first year as acting Dean of Women has become well known and appreciated. She has the responsibility of personal counseling, scheduling student labor, arranging the social and sports calendar and supervising housing programs.

DEAN OF MEN

The Dean of Men, Mr. Lon Wilson is in charge of personal counseling, housing, and student work program on the campus. His duties as Dean of Men are combined with his work as Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds.

PRESIDENT EMERITUS UEL W. LAMKIN

It takes something besides Books and Buildings to make a college. The Tower tells the story of that something else—people and their doings during this past year.

There really is no substitute for scholarship. Just as truly nothing can take the place of your personal relations with other students.

In the years to come you will get satisfaction and joy from what you learned from Books in Buildings. But your closest ties will be with your college friends, those whom you meet every day, and with whom you associate in the classroom, campus, and community.

You are a fine lot—the best generation we have yet known, "God Bless You Every One."

Uel W. Lamkin.

IN MEMORIAM

Mr. T. H. Cook is gone. No longer will his physical presence lend dignity and esteem on occasion. No longer will his kindly voice greet and teach those who come through the doors of Northwest Missouri State Teachers College. No longer will the twinkle in his eye win the confidence of the timid one.

Yes, Mr. Cook has gone, but a man of his caliber never dies. For forty some years he lived in Maryville and taught in our college. A quiet and unassuming man, with the ideals which he possessed, cannot contact hundreds of young men and women, yes, even mature students, for that length of time and not leave an indelible imprint.

No greater tribute could be given him than, for those who knew him, to resolve that his years shall not have been lived in vain but that life for them shall have a new meaning, and thus he "shall not perish from the earth."

Irene Lowry Wright,
Class of 1925
President, Alumni Association

Dr. F. R. Anthony, formerly of the College Health Department, died after a long illness just as the Tower was going to press. Thousands of alumni who knew him and appreciated his efficient service will remember him for his many kind deeds.

FACULTY

EDUCATION

Clifford L. Bishop, *Chairman of Education Department and Director of Laboratory School*
A.B., A.M., Ed.D.

Katherine Franken, *Education*
B.S., M.A.

H. R. Dieterich, *Education and Principal of Horace Mann High School*
A.B., M.A.

Mary E. Keith, *Education and Supervisor of Intermediate Education in Laboratory School*
B.S., M.A.

Dora B. Smith, *Education*
B.S., M.A., Ph.B.

Homer T. Phillips, *Education*
B.S., M.A.

Chloe E. Millikan, *Education and Supervisor of Early Childhood Education in Laboratory School*
B.S., M.A.

BIOLOGY

William Trago Garrett, *Chairman of Biology Department*
B.A., M.S.

Irene M. Mueller, *Biology*
A.B., M.A., Ph.D.

WOMEN'S PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Wincie Ann Carruth, *Director of Women's Physical Education Department*
B.S., M.S.

Jessie B. Jutten, *Women's Physical Education*
B.S., M.A.

Bonnie Magill, *Women's Physical Education*
B.S., M.A.

MEN'S PHYSICAL EDUCATION

E. A. Davis, *Director of Men's Physical Education*
B.S., A.B., M.S.

Hubert Peterson, *Men's Physical Education*
B.S., M.S.

Ryland H. Milner, *Men's Physical Education*
B.S., M.S.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE

Arthur Cauffield, *Geography*
B.S., A.B., M.A.

Leslie White, *Geography*
B.S., M.A.

J. Gordon Strong, *Chemistry*
B.S., M.A., Ph.D.

J. M. Porterfield, *Physical Science*
B.S., A.B., A.M.

AGRICULTURE

Richard T. Wright, *Chairman of Agriculture Department*
B.S., M.A.

F. B. Houghton, *Agriculture*
B.S., M.A.

FACULTY

ENGLISH

Mattie M. Dykes, *English*
B.S., M.A.

Violette Hunter, *English*
B.S., M.A.

Estella Bowman, *English*
A.B., M A.

Alta B Carpenter, *English*
A.B., M A

SPEECH

Ramona T. Canton, *Chairman of Speech Department*
A B., M A.

FINE ARTS

Olive S. DeLuce, *Chairman of Fine Arts Department*
B.S., M.A.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Blanche Hinman Dow, *Chairman of Foreign Language Department*
A.B., A.M., Ph.D.

Joseph H. Dreps, *Spanish*
B A , M.A. Ph.D.

Elaine Mauzey, *French*
B.S., A B., A.M.

MUSIC

Ralph E. Hartzell, *Chairman of Music Department*
B.Mus., B.S , M.Ed.

John L. Smay, *Music*
B A., M.Mus.

Catherine Phelps, *Music*
B.Mus.

Marilyn Reser, *Music Supervisor of Rural Schools in Nodaway County*
B.S.

Judith Thom, *Music*
B.Mus.

Janet Dickey, *Music*
B.Mus., M.A.

HOME ECONOMICS

June Cozine, *Chairman of Home Economics Department*
B.S., M.A., Ph.D.

Grace Tucker, *Home Economics*
B.A., M.A.

Mabel Cook, *Home Economics*
B S., M.A.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Donald N. Valk, *Chairman of Industrial Arts Department*
B.S., M.S.

Kenneth T. Thompson, *Industrial Arts*
B.S.

Howard Ringold, *Industrial Arts*
B.S., M.S.

FACULTY

SOCIAL SCIENCE

John Harr, *Chairman of Social Science Department*
B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

John S. Taylor, *Social Science*
B.A., M.A.

Myron P. Rose, *Social Science*
B.S., M.A.

Harry G. Dildine, *Social Science*
B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

COMMERCE

Sterling Surrey, *Chairman of Commerce and Business Administration Department*
B.S.S., M.B.A.

Helen Johnson, *Commerce*
B.S., M.S.

Clifford Kensinger, *Commerce*
B.S., M.Ed.

Margaret Neece, *Commerce*
B.S., M.S.

MATHEMATICS

Mrs. Ray O'Grady, *Mathematics*
B.S.

NOT SHOWN

Grace M. Shepherd, *Education*
A.B., M.A.

Joseph W. Hake, *Chairman of Physical Science Department*
B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

Carrie Hopkins, Retired, *Fine Arts*
B.Pd., B.S.

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B.A.

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A.B., M.S.

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B.S., B.A., M.A.

Katherine Helwig, *Mathematics*
B.S.

Hettie Margaret Anthony, *Home Economics*
A.B., P.B., B.S., A.M.

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B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

HORACE MANN

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B.S., M.Ed.

Pauline Arthur, *Intermediate Education*
B.S., M.A.

Hannah Lou Bennett, *Nursery School*
B.S., M.A.

David W. Crozier, *Industrial Arts*
B.S.

Virginia Dorman, *Fine Arts*
B.S.

Margaret Franken, *Mathematics*
B.S., M.A.

Marilyn Fulkerson, *Intermediate Education*
B.S.

Martha Gamble, *Early Childhood Education*
B.S.

Buford W. Garner, *Commerce*
B.S., M.A.

HORACE MANN

Anne Gorsuch, *Intermediate Education*
B.S.

Avis Lair Graham, *Junior High School*
B.S.

Kathryn McKee, *Early Childhood Education*
B.S.

John N. Pederson, *Boys' Physical Education*
B.S.

Frances Phares, *Early Childhood Education*
B.S.

Lawrence Phelps, *Physical Science*
B.S., M.A.

Neva Ross, *Early Childhood Education*
B.S.

Rachael Taul, *Social Science*
B.S., M.A.

NOT SHOWN

Emma Ruth Christine, *English and Speech*
B S.

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Everett W. Brown, *Director of Field Service*
B.S., M.A.

Lucile Brumbaugh, *Associate Librarian*
B.S.

Mrs. Hubert Garrett, *Assistant Librarian*

E. O. Hammond, *Veterans Training Office*
B.S.

John A. Lierly, *Veterans Training Office*
B.S.

H. V. Neece, *Business Manager*
B.S., A.B., M.S.

Paxton Pate Price, *Librarian*
B.S., B.S. in L.S.

W. A. Rickenbrode, *Secretary to Board of Regents and Bursar*
M.Accts.

Mrs. Nell Thompson, *Director of Residence Hall*

C. E. Wells, *Librarian Emeritus*
A B., A.M.

Anna Wormsley, *Director of Student Health Department*
R.N.

NOT SHOWN

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B.S., A.M.

Vivian Wren, *College Nurse*
R.N.

Betty Thompson, *Horace Mann Nurse*
R.N.

STUDENT SENATE

Top Row: Richard Thomas, *President;* Richard Appleman, *Vice-President;* Marilyn Partridge, *Secretary.*

Row 2. Helen Marie Davis, *Treasurer;* Mr. John Taylor, *Sponsor;* Mr. R. T. Wright, *Sponsor.*

Row 3: Marvin Doran, William Elam, Mary Garrett.

Row 4: Beverly Johnson, Kenneth Jones, Richard Leet.

Row 5: Donald Lyle, Dorothy June Masters, Raymond Nally.

Row 6: Jean Polsley, Roberta Robertson, Jack Slack.

Row 7. Roger Wren.

Not Shown: Marion Freeman, Harold Johnson, Floyd Klang, Barbara Munson, Harold Tarpley.

The executive powers of the Student Senate are vested in a president and a vice-president who are elected by vote of the entire student body; and a secretary-treasurer and a parliamentarian, each of whom is selected by vote of other members of Senate. The legislative and judicial powers are held by the president and vice-president and four members of each class except the freshman which has two representatives.

Actions taken by the Senate this year have served to correlate and further co-operation among organizations on the campus. Outstanding evidences of this were shown in its help with Walkout Day, Homecoming, and conduction of student polls throughout the year.

During the year, the senate has had control of the Bearcat Den and the Student Lounge. It made recommendations for improvement in both and carried out part of its recommendations literally by painting the Bearcat Den.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Top Row: Edward Reece, *Chairman;* Mrs. Harry Sheetz, *Sponsor;* Betty Collins, Zea Grissinger.
Row 2: Wilmer Martin, Charlene Hartness, Margie Ketchem, Donald Lyle, Bradley Moore.
Not Shown: Robert Wright.

The Student Social Committee is appointed by the Student Senate to plan and carry out all-student social activities. "Sadie Hawkins Week", the Christmas Ball, "Pep" dances, and "After Game" dances were sponsored by the committee.

PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

Top Row: Dorothy June Masters, *President;* Joyce Heck, *Vice President;* Mary Garrett, *Secretary;* Sue Philp, *Social Chairman.*
Row 2: Beverly Johnson, Mrs. Harry Sheetz, *Sponsor;* Dorothy Howell, Doris Gillispie.
Row 3: Helen Fisher, Jean Bush.

The purpose of the Pan-Hellenic Council is to promote good will and cooperation among the three sororities on the campus.

The Council sponsored the first social event of the year, the fall rush tea and together with the Inter-Fraternity Council planned the Spring All Greek Dance.

The Council completed plans to present a scholarship cup to the sorority maintaining the highest scholastic average during the year.

INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCIL

Top Row: Harold Hall, *President;* Edward Reece; Dr. John Harr, *Sponsor;* Harold Johnson.
Row 2: Arthur Walsh, Roger Wren.

The Inter-Fraternity Council was established on the campus in 1935. Its purpose is to promote mutual welfare and understanding between the two social fraternities, and the non-Greek organizations on the campus.

CLASSES

SENIORS

ROBERT ALLEN; *Political Science, Economics;* Alpha Phi Omega, Sigma Tau Gamma, Y.M.C.A.

BETTY JANE ANDREWS; *Commerce, Mathematics;* Keeper of the Grades Sigma Sigma Sigma, C.B.A.

RICHARD APPLEMAN; *Social Science, General Science;* Vice-President Student Senate, Who's Who, A.A.U.P. Honorary Banquet Junior year, Band, Chorus, Independent Club, Barkatze, "M" Club.

WANDA ASHFORD; *Primary Education;* W.A.A., A.C.E., Sigma Sigma Sigma.

GEORGE ASHWORTH; *Social Science, History;* International Relations Club.

JANICE BENTALL; *English, Sociology;* Who's Who, Sigma Sigma Sigma, Kappa Delta Pi.

MARY BILBY; *Physical Education, Music;* Alpha Sigma Alpha, Secretary W.A.A., Secretary Tower Choir.

ROBERT BIXLER; *Mathematics, Physics;* Alpha Phi Omega, Phi Sigma Epsilon.

NYLENE BRINKLEY; *Physical Education, Commerce;* V.V., C.B.A., Dance Club.

BARBARA BUCKER; *Music, Commerce;* Chorus, String Ensemble, Independent Club.

WILLIAM BUCKER; *Music, Industrial Arts;* Band, Chorus, String Ensemble, Independent Club.

PHYLLIS BUTTS; *Vocational Home Economics;* President Home Economics Club, Corresponding Secretary Kappa Omicron Phi, V.V., Independent Club, S.C.A.

DOROTHEA CARTER; *Elementary Education;* Secretary Newman Club, Dance Club, A.C.E., V.V.

MARY CLARKE; *Primary Education;* Secretary Dramatics Club, Keeper of Grades Sigma Sigma Sigma, Secretary A.C.E., President Alpha Psi Omega, Barkatze.

GAYLORD COLEMAN; *Commerce, Social Science;* Who's Who, Secretary Phi Sigma Epsilon, Pi Omega Pi, C.B.A.

Allen Andrews Appleman Ashford Ashworth
Bentall Bilby Bixler Brinkley Bucker
Bucker Butts Carter Clarke Coleman

SENIORS

ROY DAVIS; *Commerce, Industrial Arts.*

DEWEY DRENNEN; *Commerce, Social Science;* "M" Club, C.B.A., Vice-President Sigma Tau Gamma, Two Football Awards, Student Senate.

MARGARET ELLIOTT; *Primary Education, Music;* A.C.E., Dance Club, Independent Club, Dramatics Club.

ROGER FARMER; *Business Administration, Music;* Band.

ORVILLE FINDLEY; *Mathematics, General Science.*

EUGENE FRENCH; *Physical Education, Industrial Arts;* Sigma Tau Gamma, "M" Club, Veterans Club.

DARL GARD; *Spanish, Music;* Band, Independent Club.

JOHN GARRETT; *Social Science, Mathematics, General Science;* Who's Who, President Alpha Phi Omega, Secretary Student Senate, President Student Body, Phi Sigma Epsilon, Barkatze, International Relations Club.

MARY GARRETT; *English, Biology, General Science;* President Sigma Sigma Sigma, President S.C.A., Tower Queen 1947, A.A.U.P. Honor student, A.A.U.W. Junior Scholarship, Secretary and Parliamentarian Student Senate, Women's Ensemble, Pan-Hellenic Council, S.C.A., Green and White Peppers, Who's Who.

PAUL GATES; *Physical Education, Commerce;* Tower Staff 1947-48, C.B.A., Quad Council, Kappa Delta Pi, Editor Northwest Missourian, Secretary "M" Club, Who's Who, Howard Leech Award, Missouri Senior All-Star Football Player, Co-Captain Football team.

VIRGINIA ANN GEORGE; *Commerce, Home Economics;* President Pi Omega Pi, Vice-President Senior Class, Chaplain Alpha Sigma Alpha, Band, Green and White Peppers, Kappa Omicron Phi, C.B.A., Tower Staff 1947.

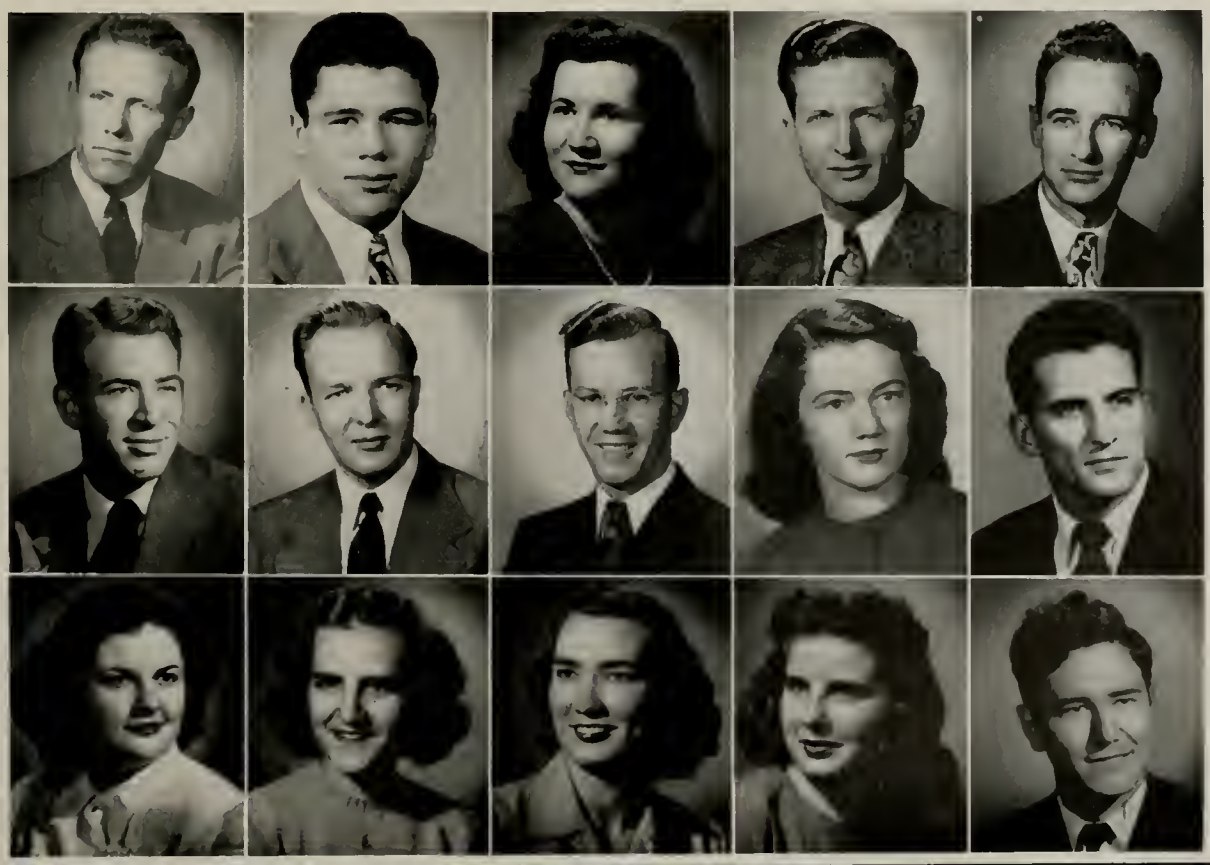
LOIS GORDEN; *Physical Education,* Music; President and Stunt Captain Barkatze, President W.A.A., Vice-President Residence Hall Council, Band, Orchestra, Sigma Sigma Sigma.

DOROTHY HARSHAW; *Physical Education, Music;* Stunt Captain Barkatze, Vice-President W.A.A., Treasurer and Vice-President Dance Club, Sigma Sigma Sigma.

PATRICIA HAWMAN; *Business Administration, Economics;* C.B.A.

JOHN HENGGLER; *Social Science, English;* President Newman Club, President Independent Club, Tower Staff 1947.

Davis	Drennen	Elliott	Farmer	Findley
French	Gard	Garrett	Garrett	Gates
George	Gorden	Harshaw	Hawman	Henggler



SENIORS

HAROLD JOHNSON; *Industrial Arts, Physical Education, Mathematics;* Vice-President "M" Club, Vice-President Sigma Tau Gamma, Inter-Fraternity Council, Co-Captain Football Team, Missouri Senior All-Star Football Player, Intramural Commissioner, Student Senate.

CARL KENNEDY; *Fine Arts, Mathematics;* Art Editor Tower 1947-1948.

RALPH KURTRIGHT; *Industrial Arts, Physical Education;* "M" Club, President Hashslingers Union, Who's Who.

RICHARD LEET; *Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics;* Secretary-Treasurer Phi Sigma Epsilon, Student Senate, Dramatics Club, Inter-Fraternity Council.

FRANCIS LYNAM; *Industrial Arts, Physical Education.*

MARY MARGARET MARTIN; *Home Economics, Music;* Secretary Newman Club, Kappa Omicron Phi.

WILMER MARTIN; *Business Administration, Mathematics;* President Freshman Class, President Veterans Club, Treasurer Junior Class, Secretary Sigma Tau Gamma, Social Committee, Assembly Committee, Student Senate, C.B.A., Pi Omega Pi.

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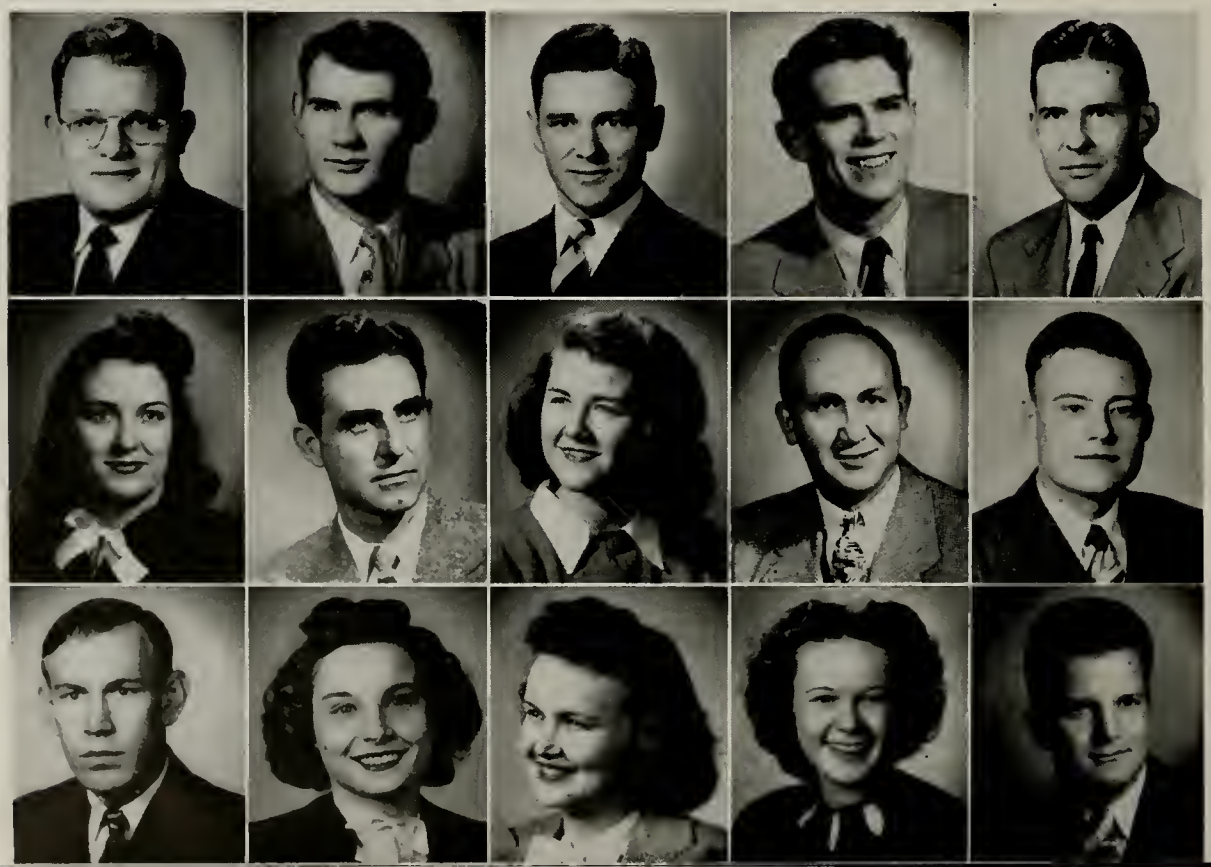

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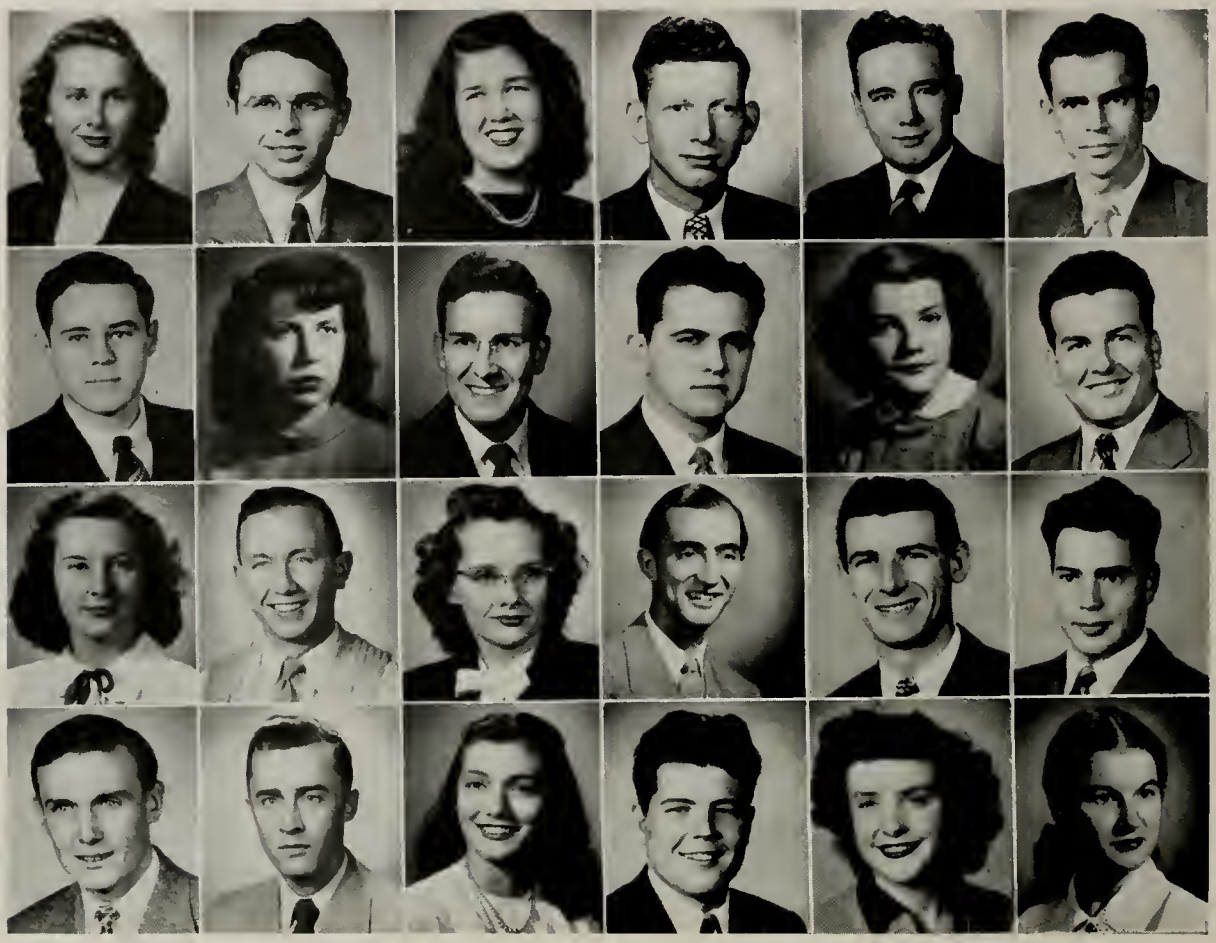

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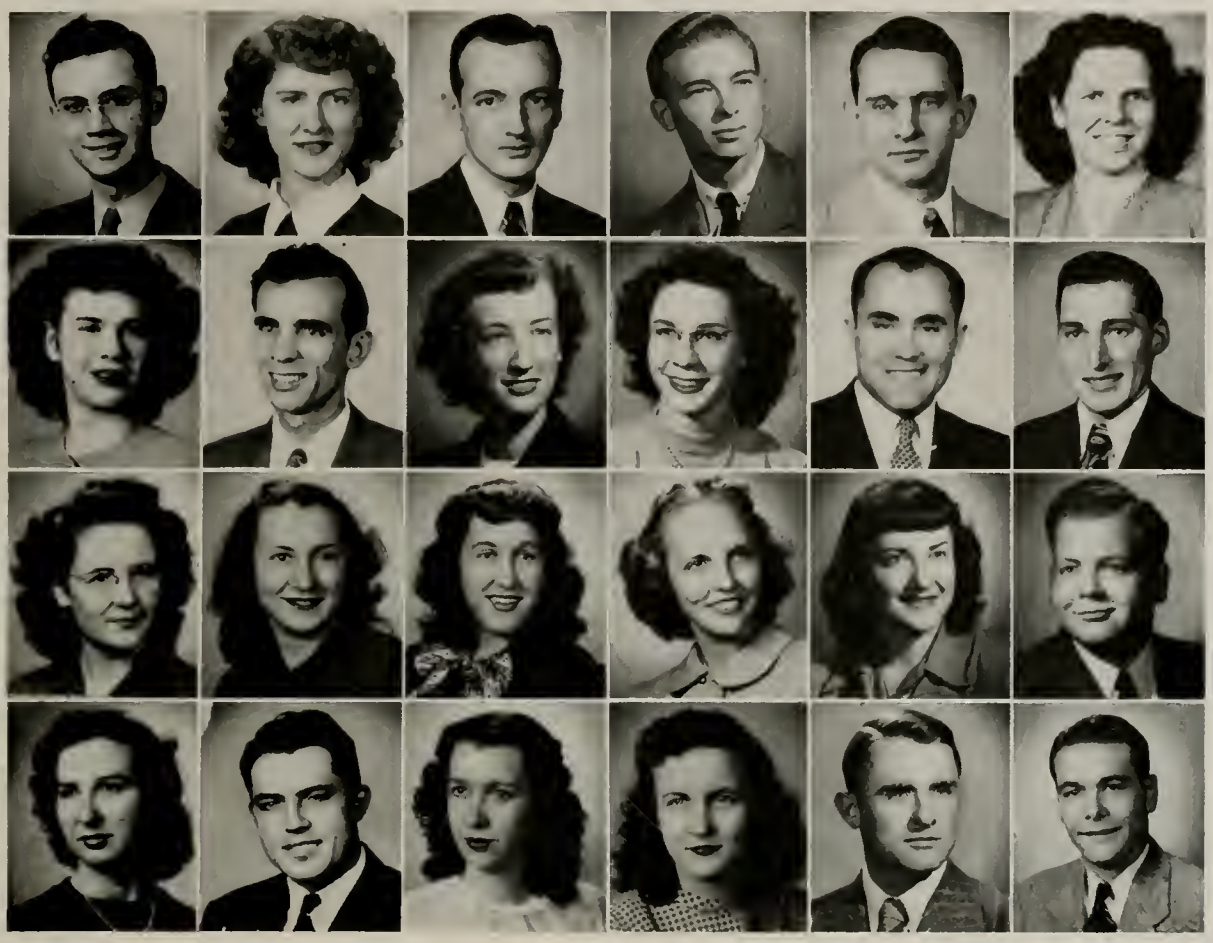

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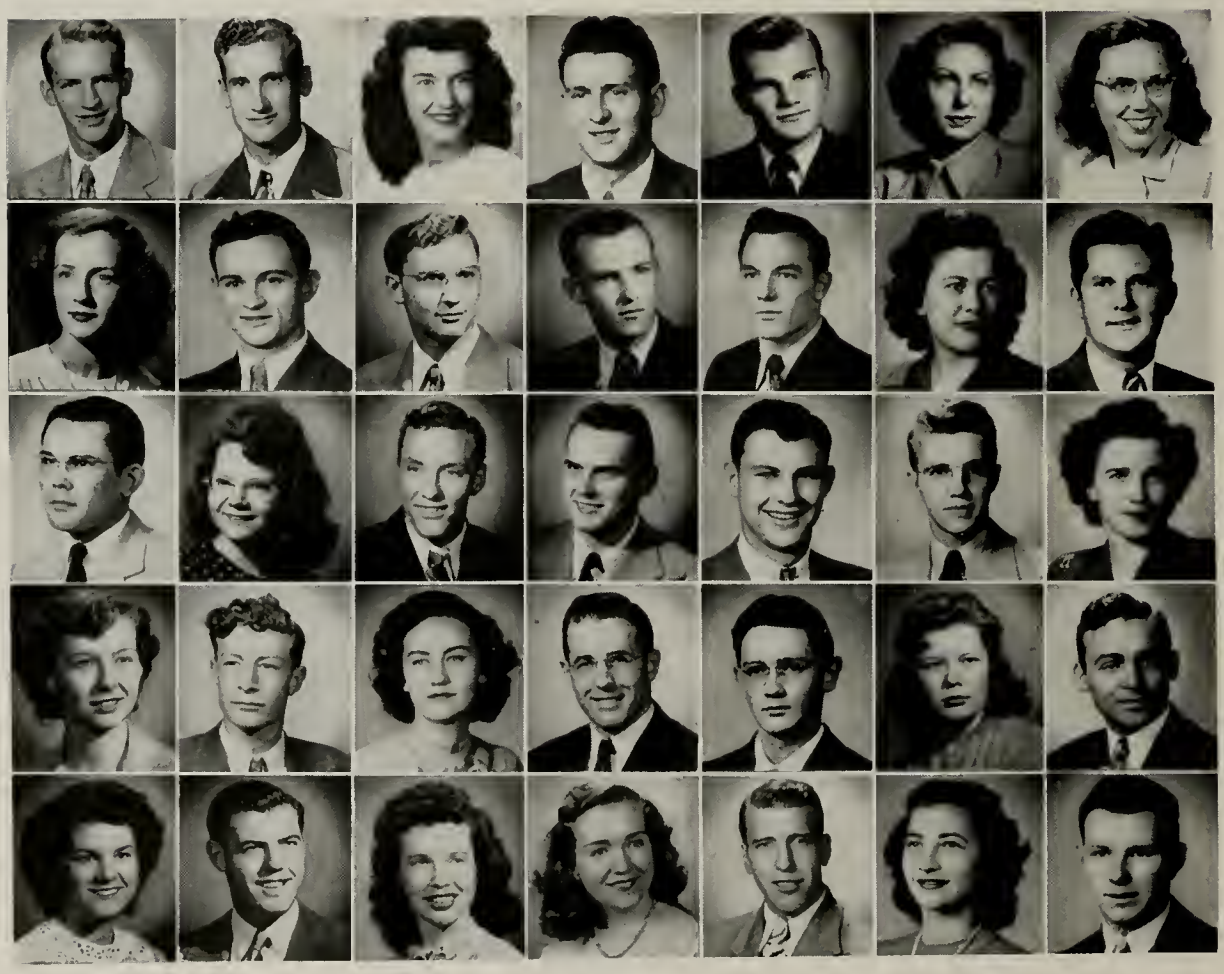

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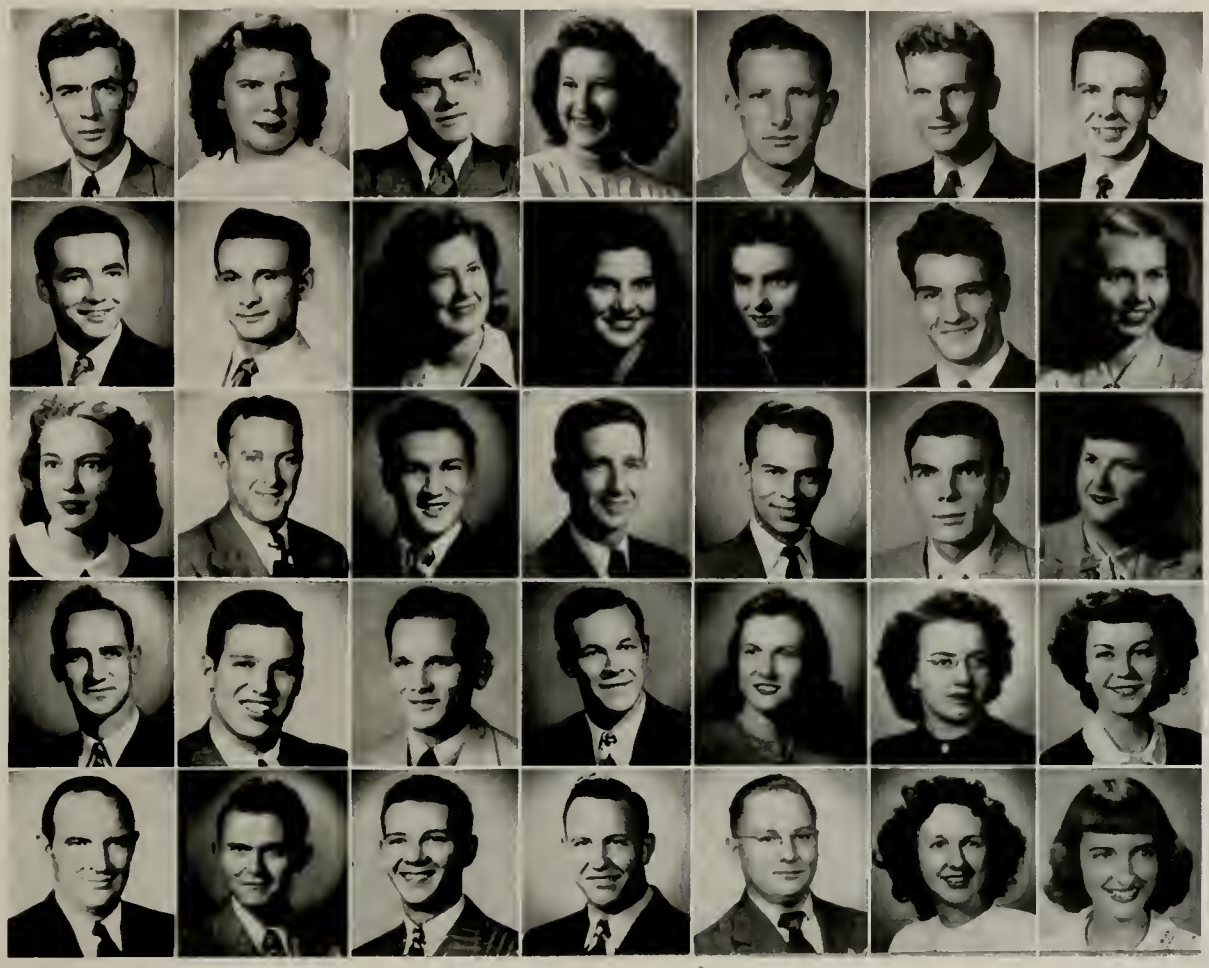

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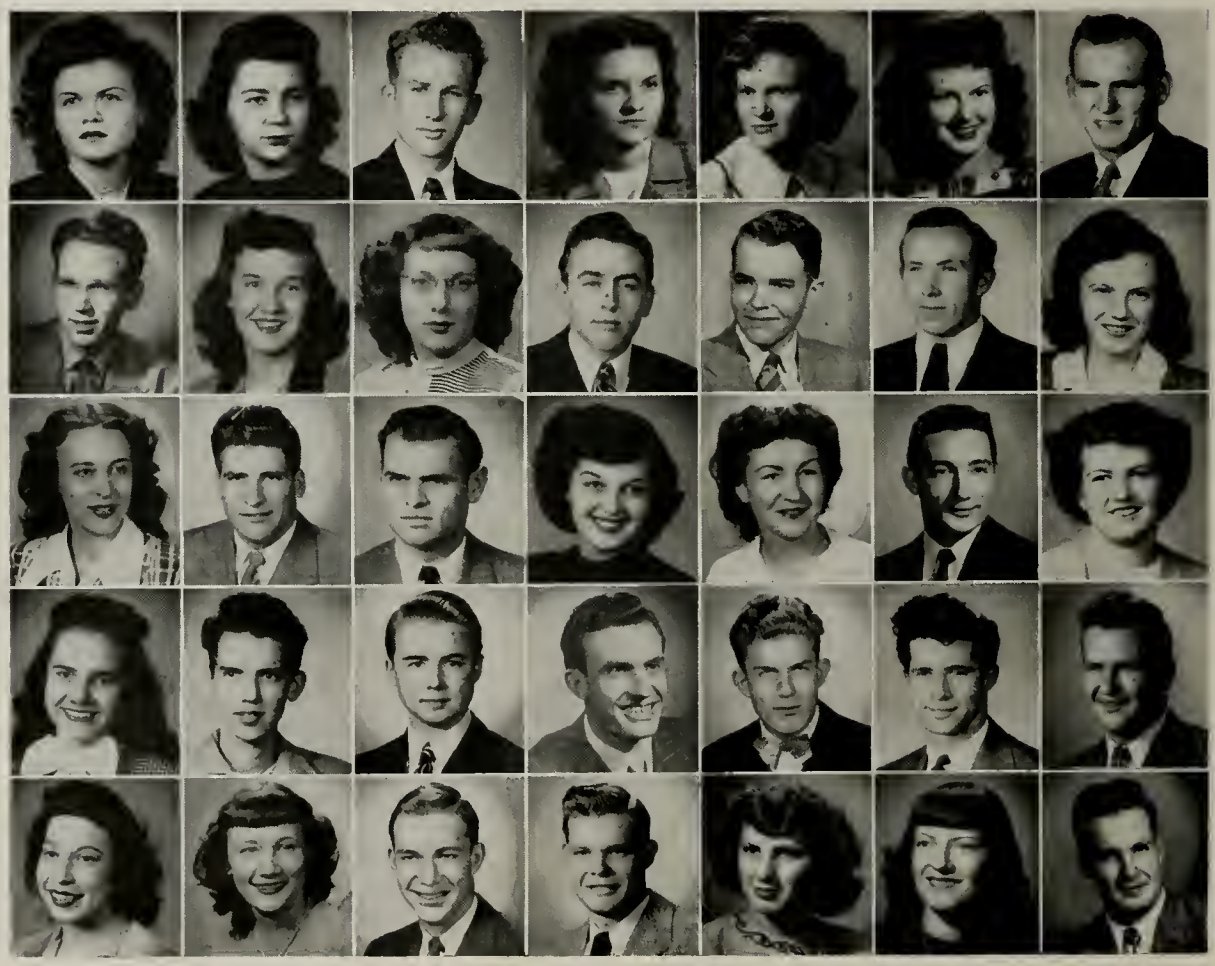

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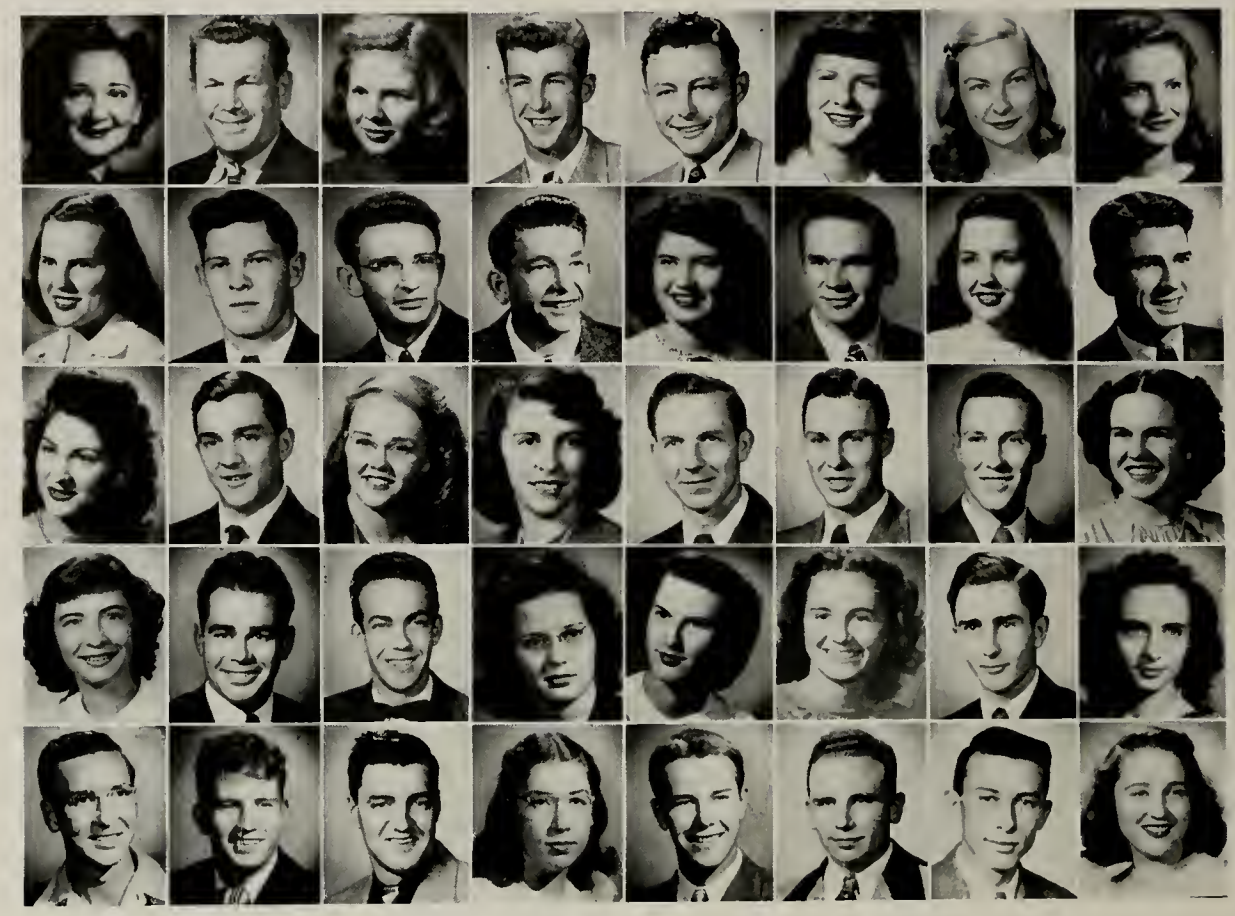

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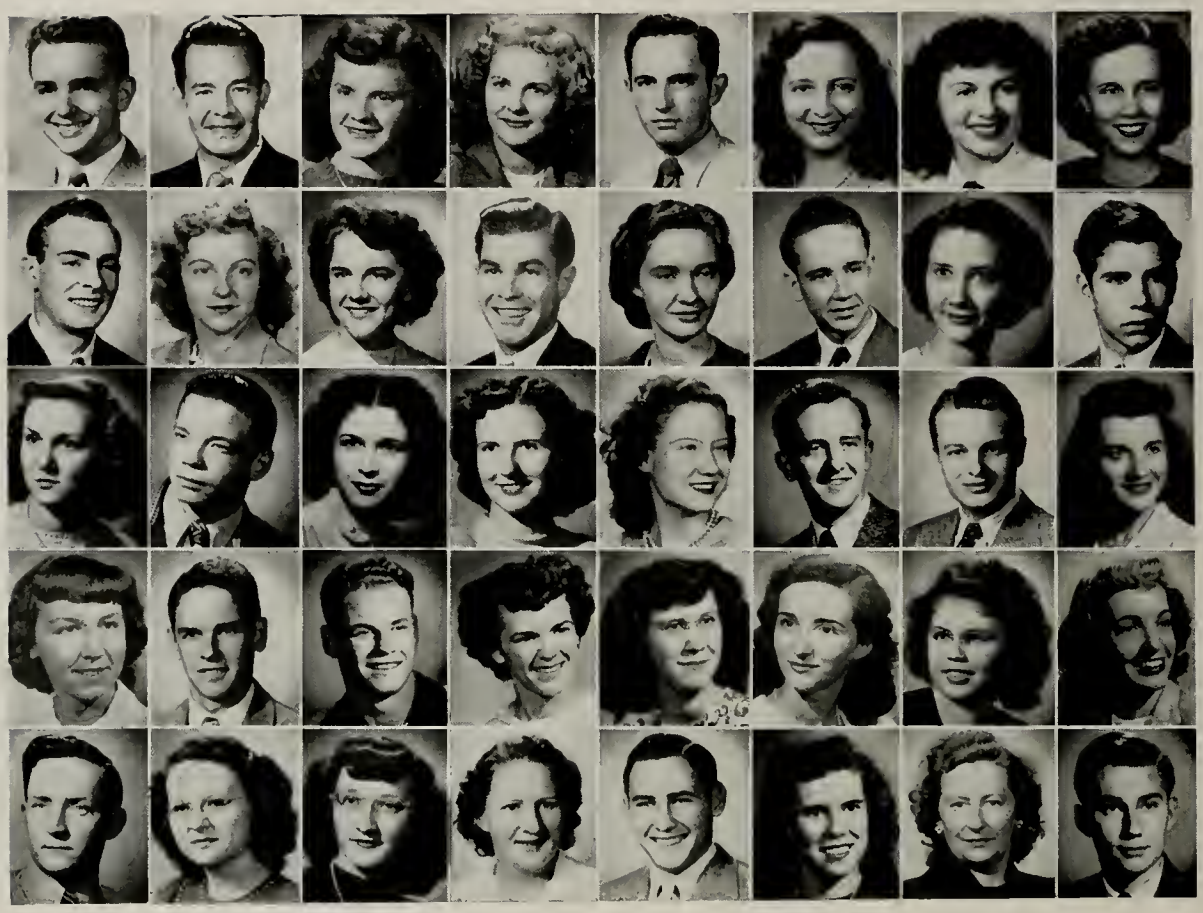

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Top Picture: THE COLLEGE BAND

Lower Picture: THE CLARINET QUARTET
Robin Snyder, Ernest Witt, Joan Miller, Tavner Wisdom.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Music organizations are maintained on the campus to provide students with the opportunity to express themselves musically and to learn the theory of conducting ensemble groups of all types.

The Tower Choir is composed of college students who desire to express themselves vocally in the part singing. The choir sings for assemblies and special occasions at the college. This year the choir presented a Christmas cantata and an opera.

The College Band is composed of those people whose musical ability allows them to qualify. The band plays for the athletic events and all college functions. Each year it gives concerts at the college and also goes on concert tours.

The College Orchestra is composed of the string ensemble and members of the concert band.

Top Picture: THE TOWER CHOIR

Lower Picture: THE LIBRARY STAFF
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LIBRARY STAFF

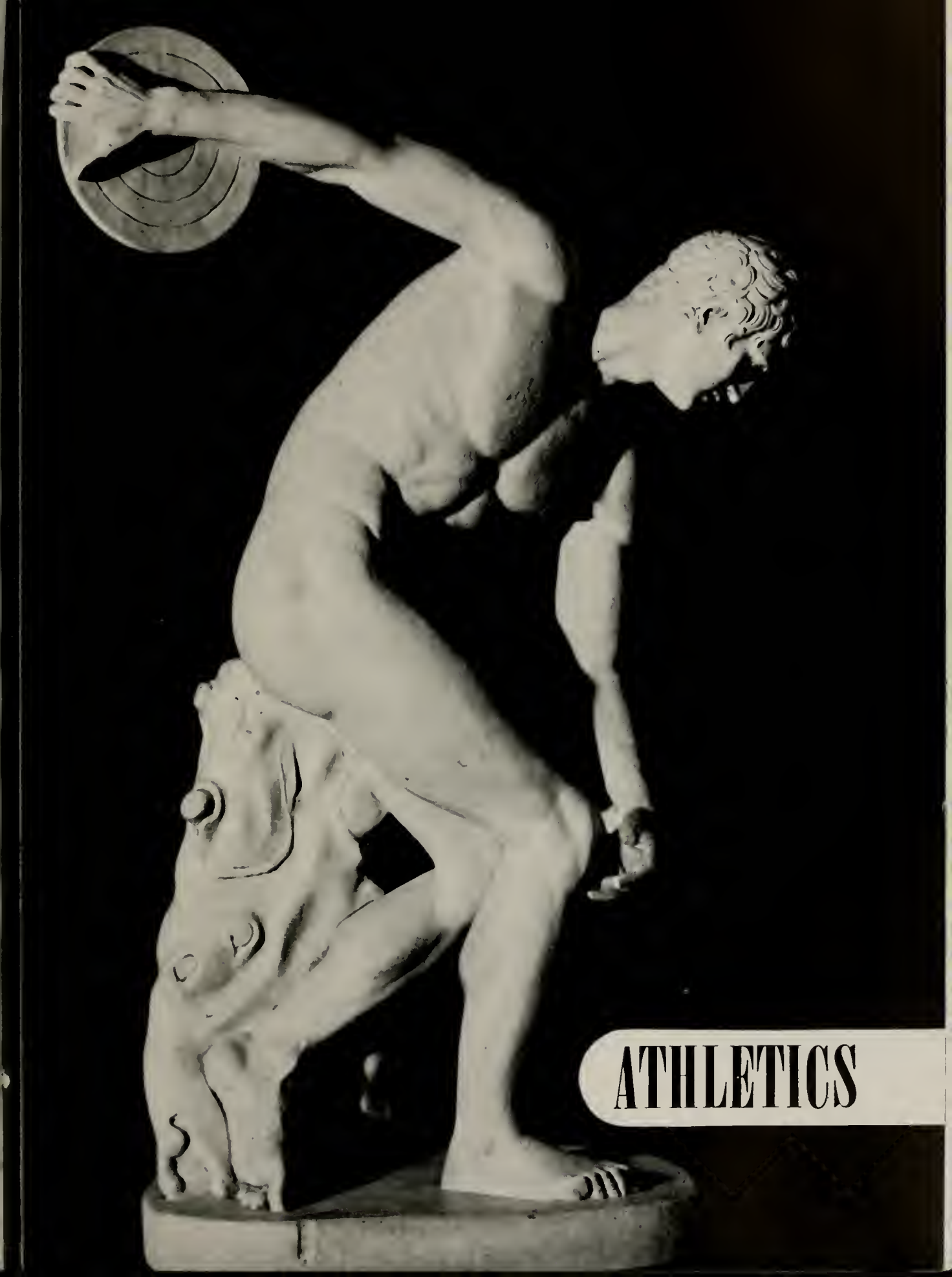
Who on the Campus has not noticed new vitality displayed by our library this year? With the arrival of Mr. Paxton Price as librarian, changes began taking place in arrangements, in efficiency, and in attractiveness.

A reading lounge and a film and record library are being planned for the near future. A new service makes available, by loan, to students and faculty reproductions of fine paintings.

THE LABORATORY SCHOOL

The Horace Mann Laboratory School has a three-fold function to perform. First, it must furnish the best possible educational experience for student teachers; second, it must provide exceptional opportunity for the growth and development of the boys and girls who make up the student body; third, as an integral and vital part of a college dedicated to the education of teachers, it is obligated to exemplify the most modern and efficient methods of teaching and learning.

It is the purpose of the Horace Mann Laboratory School to provide the best education possible for its students—from the nursery school through high school. Students, teachers, and the college administration try to the best of their ability to make the laboratory school a good example to prospective teachers as well as to the teachers and administrators served by the College. The student teacher phase is important. It is the belief of many that a teachers college should revolve around its laboratory school. To justify such a plan, those in charge of the Horace Mann Laboratory School have set forth the principles of observation, participation and gradual induction into student teaching—all this under the guidance of well qualified sympathetic supervising teachers.



ATHLETICS

THE HIGH COMMAND

Ivan Schottel, *Assistant Coach;*
Ryland Milner, *Head Coach;*
Don Peterson, *Assistant Coach.*

FOOTBALL SEASON IN REVIEW

MARYVILLE 14—OTTAWA 0

An eager and hustling band of Bearcats ushered in the 1947 football season with a victory over Ottawa University. Ottawa later was conference champion in their league, and though they sent a veteran team on the field the hard-hitting "Cats" took a 14-0 decision. Klang and Totoraitis led the line play. Wormsley and Zuchowski scored the touchdowns and Kurtright converted twice from placement.

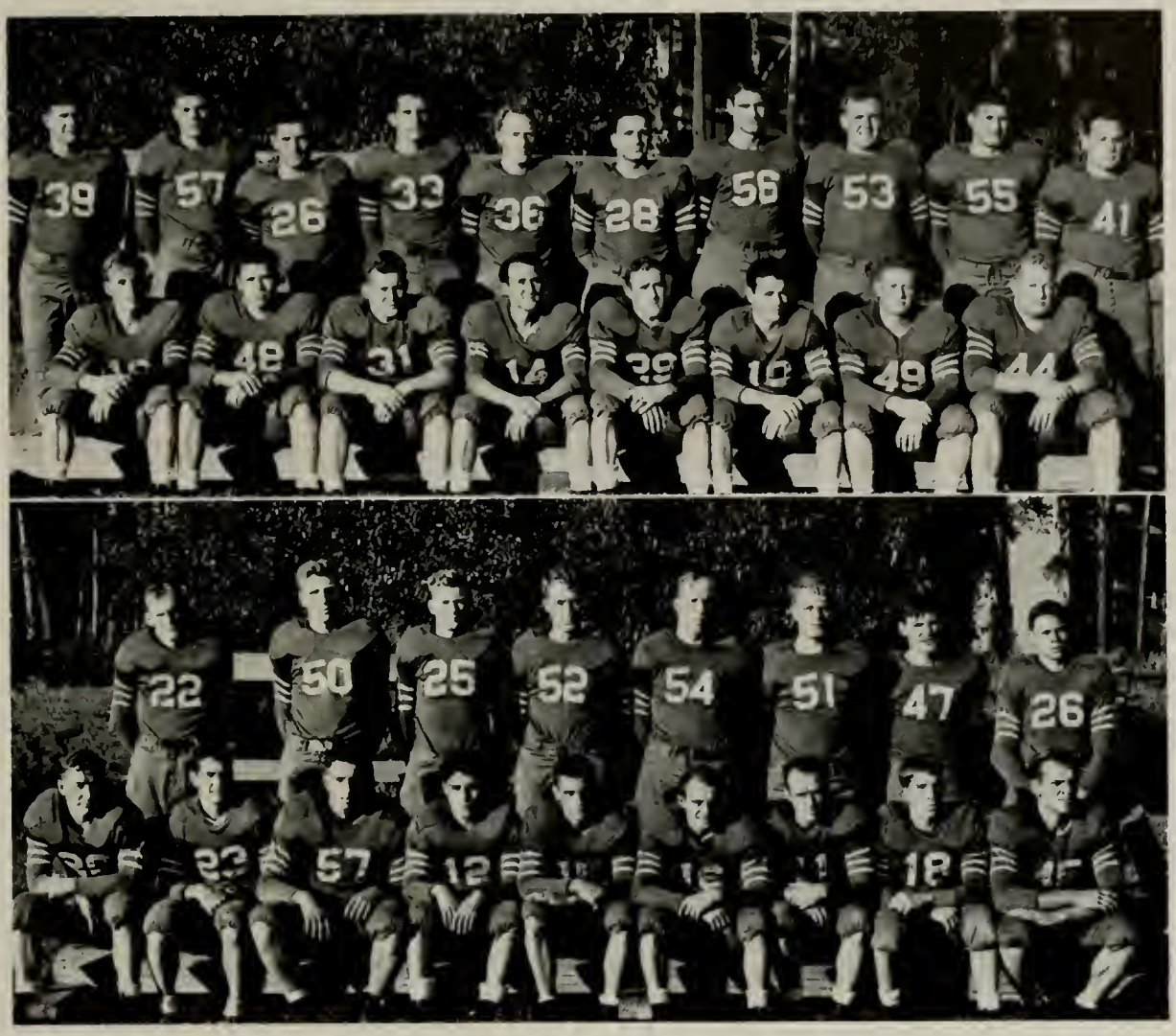
MARYVILLE 26—OMAHA 0

Scoring the first time they got the ball and rolling on for two touchdowns in each of the first and third periods, the big Green and White romped over Omaha 26-0. Gates scored two touchdowns, Zuchowski one, and Totoraitis one. Kurtright converted twice. The solid defense did not permit Omaha to get within the Maryville 25-yard line.

MARYVILLE 7—SPRINGFIELD 7

Coach Milner sent his men against the undefeated and powerful Springfield Bears. An inspired eleven fought the favored Bears to a standstill. Maryville scored first on Weed's plunge to culminate a 67-yard march. Freeman converted to send the "Cats" in front 7-0. Only a desperate touchdown pass in the final half saved the Bears. Johnson and Totoraitis played the finest ball of their careers to help stem the hard running of Springfield backs.

Butherus Goes Into Action



FOOTBALL SQUAD

TOP PICTURE:

Top Row: *Paul Butherus, *Howard Glavin, *Ralph Kurtright, *Paul Gates, Co-captain; *William Gamble, *Maurice Geist, *Marvin Weed, *Vernon Weidmaier, *Stanley Totoraitis, Co-captain; *Donald Hartness.
Row 2: *Charles Scruby, *Dewey Drennen, *Byron Baker, Gene Pemberton, *Bruce Peters, *Rex Adams, *Roger Wren, *Harold Johnson, Co-captain.

LOWER PICTURE:

Top Row: *Norman James, Clyde Sweat, *Kenneth Jones, *Alvin Wormsley, *Floyd Klang, *William Logan, *Patrick Zuchowski, *Robert Boeh.
Row 2: *Larry Zirbel, *Marion Freeman, *Robert Osburn, Francisco Cruz, *William Ward, *Jack Slack, *Donald Snyder, Billie Coulter, John Wohlford.

Not Shown: Delbert Gabbert, Charles Godwin, Kermit Hunter, Charles Newton, Robert Olson, James Page, Mike Scheibler, John Scott, Joseph Sherman, Robert Wilson, Basel Hoehn, William Elliott, Arthur Bahr, Joe Gardner, John Hellerich, *James Smith, Frank Thompson, Max Underwood, Billy Christenson, John Colyn, Arthur Felt, Max Hochenauer, James Malson, Edward Morell, Alvin Niewald, Glenn Sherry, Carroll Taylor, *Donald Hoffman, Bill Royer, Paul Stewart, George Watson, Marlin Carey, Richard Carroll, James Hillgren, Donold Carroll, Philip Carter, Howard Chandlee, Melvin Coleman, Robert Conn, Donald Dressler, Howard Duncan, Phillip Hull, Jerry Obermiller, William Sherman, Arthur Snodgrass, Thomas Stephens, *Ronald VanRyswyk, F. J. Boyer, John Daly, Richard Edwards, *Lloyd Younger.

**Indicates Lettermen.*

Adams Geist Zuchowski Weidmaier Wren

BEARCATS '47

MARYVILLE 7—WILLIAM JEWELL 0

A sea of mud and a hard rain greeted the Bearcats in their first game away from home. They scored midway through the fourth period on an end run by James to protect their undefeated, untied, unscored on record. The brilliant line threw Jewell back without a first down. Sensational line plunging by fullbacks Weed and Butherus kept the ball in enemy territory most of the game.

MARYVILLE 6—ROLLA 12

The Bearcats could not cope with the daring passing attack of the Miners and fell in defeat in their first conference test. Zuchowski scored for Maryville in the first quarter but Rolla came back to tie the game and to win in the final period. Again the fierce line play of the Bearcats stood out, even in defeat, as Johnson, Totoraitis, Hartness, Klang, and Weidmaier led the defense.

MARYVILLE 0—ROCKHURST 14

A Rockhurst Homecoming background furnished the impetus for an under-rated Rockhurst eleven to force a 14-0 victory over the Bearcats. The Hawks scored on the next to last play of the first half and on the last play of the game.

MARYVILLE 0—CAPE GIRARDEAU 0

During the Homecoming the Bearcat's offense sputtered for the fourth successive time. They were held to a scoreless tie before a shivering, rain spattered, but enthusiastic crowd. The only bright spot of the game was the play of the stalwart front line.

Johnson Boeh Slack Ward James Totoraitis

Younger Baker Gamble Klang Jones

BEARCATS '47

MARYVILLE 22—KIRKSVILLE 6

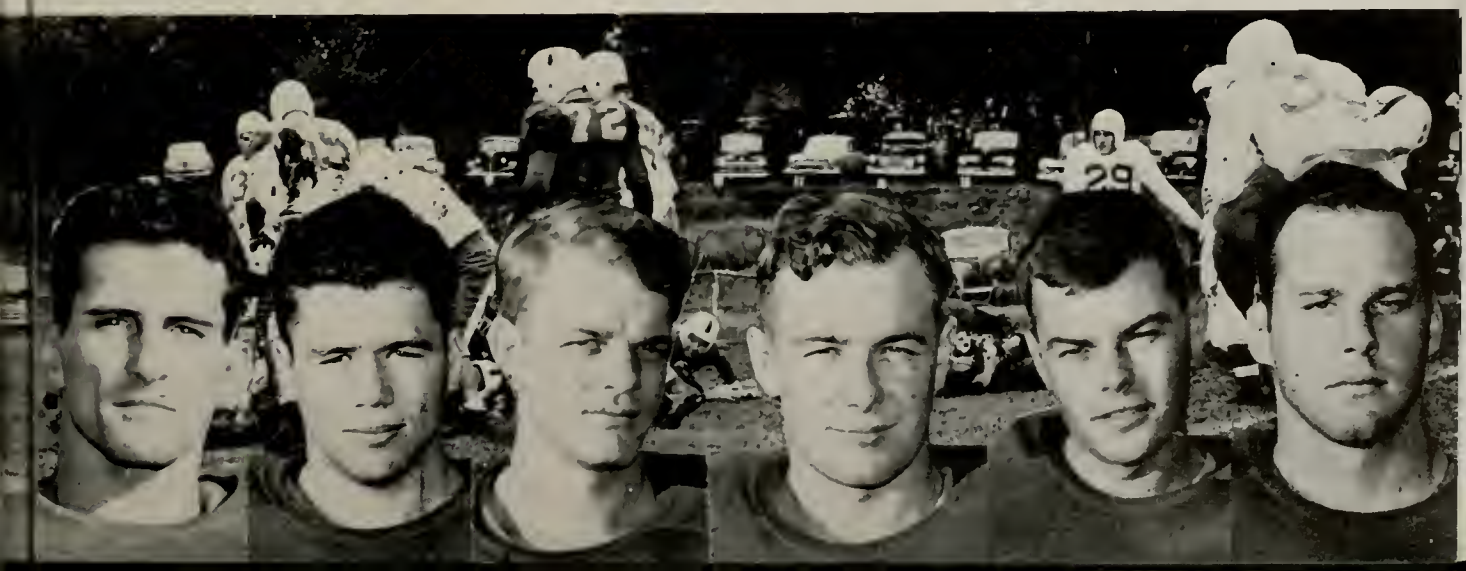
The Bearcats, finding their offensive powers, blasted out a convincing victory to ruin a Kirksville Homecoming. James scored on a 42-yard run and Weed scored on a plunge in the second quarter. In the final half Butherus took a pass for a score and a safety was made. Gates passed for one score and set up the second score with an aerial pass. Freeman converted twice.

MARYVILLE 15—WARRENSBURG 0

The Green and White closed a successful season with a decisive 15-0 victory over the surprisingly tough Mules. A safety, a touchdown by Glavin on a kick blocked by Weidmaier, and a thirteen yard plunge by Weed with Freeman's conversion composed the scoring.

Totoraitis and Johnson were honored by being named on the All Conference First Team and were members with Weidmaier and Gates on the Missouri Senior All-Star Team that defeated the Kansas Senior Team in the Mo-Kan Bowl Game in Kansas City. All four men distinguished themselves in the game.

Gates Drennen Logan Zirbel Glavin Hartness



Top Row: Leon Dreps, Richard Palmer, Bradley Moore, Charles Hinchey, William Elam, James Hinchey, James Malson, Richard Appleman, *Stunt Captain;* Manley Thomson, Richard Thomas, *President.*

Row 2: Shirley Burger, *Treasurer;* Maxine McDermott, Irma Jensen, Roberta Robertson, *Secretary;* Homer Long, Miss Wincie Ann Carruth, *Sponsor:* Gerald Cox, Harland Judd, Richard Owens.

Row 3: Phyllis Combs, Joyce Wehrli, Dorothy Harshaw, Melville Strong, Margaret Curry, Robert Miller, Helen Sutton, Janet Andler, Joan Peter.

Row 4: Marilyn Judd, Lois Gorden, Betty Martin, Mary White, Shirley Dieterich, *Mascot;* Helen Richardson, Joan Miller, Meredee Myers, *Vice-President;* Thelma Oyerly.

Row 5: Bruce Mitchell, Mary Lou Rockwell, Clyde Bowen.

Not Shown: William King, Mack Miller, Charles Rupe, Wendell Spoor.

BARKATZE

The booster organization composed of both boys and girls is known on the campus as the Barkatze. They back the team at all football and basketball games on campus and take as many trips as possible to out-of-town games.

The uniform of the Barkatze consists of green jackets, white shirts, and green ties worn with white skirts or trousers.

This year the Barkatze enjoyed their annual chili supper after which they held an initiation consisting of stunts performed by the new members. One of the two stunts presented this year was a square dance. The other was a mock wedding.

The Barkatze are enhanced by their mascot, Miss Shirley Dieterich who dresses in full uniform and sits with the group.

The Barkatze are sponsored by Miss Wincie Ann Carruth of the Physical Education Department. Miss Carruth has been sponsor of the group for many years and is as integral a part of the organization as the uniforms themselves. Mr. Surrey is co-sponsor of the Barkatze.

Top Row: Ann Curnutt, Sergia Fries, Patricia Smith, Julia Polton, Marilyn Partridge, Barbara Munson, *Treasurer:* Beverly Osburn, Patricia McIntyre.

Row 2: Virginia George, Beverly Litsch, *Secretary:* Jeanne Bahl, Kathryn Krause, Dolores Keown, Elaine Anderson, Jane Bovard, Dorothy Anderson.

Row 3: Mary Robinett, Kathryn Espey, Alice Wharton, Juanita Ford, Helen Toel, Vernelle Cox, Miss Bonnie Magill, *Sponsor.*

Row 4: Beverly Johnson, Pauline Cramer, Helen Davis, *Stunt Captain;* Sue Philp, *President;* Ludine Pollard, Ruth Burns, Patricia Straight, *Vice-President.*

Not Shown: Beth Hurst, Betty Johnson, *Reporter:* Dorothy Masters, Virginia Wilmes.

GREEN AND WHITE PEPPERS

This pep organization came into existence in the fall of 1927, and has come up through the years, serving as a supporter of athletic teams and good sportsmanship, and contributing to the entertainment of the public at athletic events.

In the fall of 1947, 14 girls were initiated into the Peppers, bringing the membership to 40, and the initiates wore the green and white uniforms in true Pepper fashion.

The Peppers attended one out of town game this year. In November they went to the football game at William Jewell. Although a constant downpour of rain was dampening to their spirits, the Peppers cheered their team on to victory.

The Peppers presented three stunts this year for the enjoyment of sports fans. At the Homecoming Game they presented a snappy drill. During the half of the Kirksville Game in January they presented a rope skipping stunt. Also, at the Warrensburg Game they presented their basketball version of "Casey at the Bat," entitled "Maryville at the Basket."

During the Homecoming Festivities, the Peppers gave a chili supper honoring their grads who had come back to join in the celebrations at their old alma mater.

BASKETBALL

1947-48's edition of the basketball Bearcats did not do as well as was hoped, but as the season drew to a close students and fans began to realize that the freshman loaded squad was possessed with potential stars of the hardwood. Newcomers to the squad, John Wohlford, Eugene Ceglenski, James Tanner, Kenneth Jones, Donald Reynolds and Charles Godwin contributed their hustle and ability to that of the returning lettermen. Especially noteworthy was the work of freshmen Jones and Tannar, who were in all the games either as starters or substitutes for long periods of play. From this group Coach Ryland Milner will form his next season's quintet. Veterans Lloyd Younger and Donald Scott added the scoring punch. George Andrews, Howard Glavin, and Paul Butherus gave their familiarity of the system to aid the freshmen.

Much credit for the aid given to the newcomers on the squad goes to seniors Andrews and Glavin, whose experience under Coach Milner helped him develop the freshmen in the understanding of his type of play. These men will not be present to witness the re-

sults of their help next season, but the effect of their aid will be reflected in the play of the team.

At the opening of the campaign lettermen Andrews, Scott, Glavin, Butherus, and Younger reported for practice. The latter three came over from the football squad. They joined other members of the squad who were to compose the traveling group for the Bearcats. The seven others who made all the trips and who participated in a majority of the games were Wohlford, Tanner, Godwin, Jones, Reynolds, Wormsley, and Ceglenski. The above seven received letter awards in addition to those presented to the afore mentioned lettermen.

BASKETBALL

Younger Reynolds | Jones Glavin | Tanner Godwin | Scott Andrews | Wohlford Butherus

LEADING SCORERS

PLAYER	SCORE
Younger	163
Scott	128
Glavin	86
Andrews	81
Wohlford	79
Reynolds	69
Butherus	53
Jones	42
Ceglenski	34

BASKETBALL SQUAD

Top Row: Coach Ryland Milner, James Page, Joseph Sherman, Marlin Jones, Thomas Walker, Eugene Ceglenski.

Row 2: Robert Gill, Marvin Carmichael, Charles Newton, Alvin Wormsley, Jerry Obermiller, John Wohlford, James Tanner.

Row 3: Kenneth Jones, George Andrews, Donald Scott, Howard Glavin, Paul Butherus, Lloyd Younger, Charles Godwin, Donald Reynolds.

BASKETBALL SCORES

36 Maryville	53 St. Benedicts	29 Maryville	49 Rockhurst
42 Maryville	33 Baker	61 Maryville	38 Rolla
45 Maryville	35 Rockhurst	29 Maryville	31 Springfield
30 Maryville	38 Warrensburg	55 Maryville	60 Cape Girardeau
49 Maryville	26 William Jewell	57 Maryville	58 Rolla
45 Maryville	55 St. Benedicts	40 Maryville	58 Kirksville
19 Maryville	35 Kirksville	25 Maryville	38 Rockhurst
31 Maryville	33 Springfield	32 Maryville	58 Warrensburg
36 Maryville	46 Warrensburg	37 Maryville	46 Cape Girardeau
36 Maryville	47 Ottawa		

TRACK SQUAD

Top Row: James Swensen, William F. Elliott, Kenneth Hoegh, Basil Hoehn, James Tanner, Harvey Wright, Kenneth Jones, Robert McClurg, John Wohlford.

Row 2: Marlin Jones, Glenn Sherry, Burton Little, Reldon Jackson, Howard Chandlee, John Daly, Marion Freeman, Donald Hoffman.

Row 3: Philip Carter, Warren Stanton, Norman James, Carroll Taylor, James Jennings, Ralph Cushman, Charles Derstler, Harold Johnson, George Silver, Franklin Bollinger.

Row 4: Coach Ryland Milner, Richard Appleman, Robert Weston, Paul Gates, Alvin Wormsley, Paul Waters, Mark Christine, Warren Horne, Bruce Peters, Coach E. A. Davis.

TRACK

The 1948 Track team, one of the best balanced teams that the Bearcats have produced since the War, finished with a successful season.

E. A. "Lefty" Davis and Coach Ryland Milner, who both worked with the thinclads this year, rounded the "Cats" into shape.

Alvin Wormsley was the big gun in point getting this year with the shot and discus.

Paul Waters was also one of the best point makers on the thinclad team. His great runs in the 440 and 880 thrilled many Bearcat followers as he won several times on sheer determination and a will to win.

Other strong point getters on the team were Warren Horne, John Daly, Richard Appleman, Bruce Peters, Paul Gates, Mark Christine, and Robert Weston.

WOMEN'S PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The various activities of the Women's Physical Education Department provide relief and relaxation from the mental strain of college life.

The aim of the Women's Physical Education Department is to provide an interesting and beneficial program of physical motivation for each girl.

This department offers a broad recreation program for women including the intercollegiate and recreational activities of the WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION and DANCE CLUB.

By participation in the activities of the department, all girls acquire a certain degree of skill and understanding of several fine American sports. All students are required to complete at least six quarters of activities for graduation.

CHEERLEADERS
Mary Lou Rockwell, William Blackman, Joann Caldwell, Bruce Mitchell, Sue Philp, Clyde Bowen, Jeanne Bahl.

INTRAMURALS

The fall quarter this year marked the second year of play nights and intramural program sponsored by the Recreation Department. After a slow start last year, the department shifted into high gear and this year's program was bigger and better than ever before.

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoons various games such as volley ball, swimming, ping pong, badminton, shuffle board, and dancing were enjoyed by interested students. The attendance this year was greatly improved over that of last year.

The intramural basketball program was

INTRAMURAL COMMISSION
Harold Johnson, George MacLellan, Mr. Herbert Peterson, *Sponsor;* Basil Hoehn, *Chairman;* Larry Zirbel, Donald Hoffman.

INTRAMURALS

enlarged to twenty-one teams playing in three leagues. Each league played a double round robin with a double elimination for championship.

The Phi Sigs were the only team to go through the league undefeated, and entered the tournament as heavy favorites. However, the All States, led by high scoring Jack Milligan and Rjean Black upset all others and went on to win the tournament. An all star team was being chosen as The Tower went to press.

A mixed volleyball tournament also was organized. The teams consisted of three boys and three girls. The new twist brought some of the fairer sex into the athletic limelight.

Several tournaments displaying real sportsmanship were played in badminton, softball, golf and archery.

TOP PICTURE

Top Row: Byron Baker, Roger Wren, *Secretary-treasurer;* William Ward, Lloyd Younger, William Gamble, *Sergeant at Arms;* Jack Slack, Harold Johnson, *Vice-President.*

Row 2: Donald Snyder, Donald Hartness, Norman James, Dewey Drennen, Vernon Weidmaier, Patrick Zuchowski, Larry Zirbel.

LOWER PICTURE

Top Row: Homer Long, Paul Gates, *Corresponding Secretary;* Kenneth Jones, Warren Horne, Paul Waters, Donald Hoffman.

Row 2: Coach Ryland Milner, *Sponsor;* Stanley Totoraitis, Ron VanRyswyk, Bruce Peters, *President;* Eugene French, Floyd Klang, James Smith, George Andrews.

Row 3: Rex Adams, Robert Weston, Maurice Geist, Paul Butherus, Robert Osburn, Ralph Kurtright, Marion Freeman.

Not Shown: Howard Glavin, *Publicity Manager;* Richard Appleman, Norbert Meyer, Charles Scruby, Marvin Weed, Alvin Wormsley, William Logan.

"M" CLUB

The Varsity "M" Club has come back into the limelight on the campus after a six year absence.

This club was founded with the intention of promoting better athletics, building tradition, prestige, and loyalty around those athletics.

During the past year, the club has produced all of the football, basketball and track programs, handled the traditional walkout day, and assisted the Junior Chamber of Commerce in police duty on Santa Claus Day.

ORGANIZATIONS

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

Top Row: Janet Andler, Jeanne Bahl, Marjorie Andrews, Virginia Wilmes, Wanda Praiswater.

Row 2: Kathleen Jennings, Madge Miller, Betty Jean Martin, Lois Gorden, Mary Lou Rockwell, Joyce Wehrli.

Top Row: Betty McDonald, Beth Hurst, Dorothy Harshaw, Phyllis Combs, Helen Richardson.

Row 2: Margaret Wade, Irma Jensen, Joan Peter, Janice Bentall, Margaret Turner.

Row 3: Helen Fisher, Margaret Berry, Margaret Bowness.

Top Row: Alice White, Mary Loyce Rockwell, Lois Easton, Margaret Fisher, Lavonne Wescott, Thelma Oyerly, Margaret Curry, Maxine McDermott, Rachel Robinson, Ruth McDowell.

Row 2: Juanita Ford, Meredee Myers, Betty Jane Andrews, Dorothy Lenz.

Row 3: Ann Miller, Virginia Snowberger, Joan Miller.

Not Shown: Betty Russell, Wanda Ashford, Betty Williams, Dr. June Cozine, *Sponsor.*

Top Row: Jean Polsley, *Corresponding Secretary;* Margaret Ford, Jean Bush, *Vice-President;* Julia Polton, Helen Sutton, *Secretary;* Mary Lee White.

Row 2: Mary Clarke, *Keeper of the Grades;* Mary Garrett, *President;* Roberta Robertson, *Treasurer.*

SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

The Alpha Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma, affiliated with the National Pan-Hellenic Council, has been active on this campus since 1927. The aims of the sorority are to build character, to develop leadership, to promote unselfish cooperation, and to establish among the members a perpetual bond of friendship.

Homecoming kept the Tri Sigmas busy. The weekend included the Variety Show in which the Tri Sig-Phi Sig Band won first place, a breakfast honoring the alumnae, and a tea at the chapter house. A sorority sister, Margaret Curry was chosen queen to reign over Homecoming activities.

A rush party "Southern Charm," a "Sheet Dance," party given by the pledges, the traditional Christmas party, and the senior breakfast were included in the social whirl. The Founder's Day Banquet was celebrated April 20 with a formal dinner at which mothers were special guests. The last social event of the year was the Spring Formal at the Country Club.

Two members, Mary Garrett, president, and a senior sister, Clara Judson attended the National Convention in July at Williamsburg, Virginia.

Sigma Sigma Sigma serves others through its social service fund which is given to worthy causes.

Character is developed through the Charm School and Harmony Hour which provide opportunities for the girls to discuss problems met each day and to strengthen the bonds of sisterhood.

Much credit for the success of the Chapter belongs to the Tri Sig sponsor Dr. June Cozine.

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Top Row: Betty Lawrence, Mary Lou Laughlin.

Row 2: Virginia Akers, Beverly Litsch, Beverly Osburn, Helen Toel.

Top Row: Dolores Keown, Ann Curnutt, Patti Bosch, Mary Robinett.

Row 2: Patricia Straight, Barbara Munson, Betty Johnson, Helen Davis, Sergia Fries.

Top Row: Shirley Voracek, Betty Jo Dermont, Charlene Harman, Wilhelmina Edie, Patricia McIntyre, Ruth Burns.

Row 2: Irene Toland, Ludene Pollard, Dorothy Anderson, Beverly Edelman, Patricia Smith, Kathryn Espey, June DeWitt.

Not Shown: Carol Hornbuckle, Ferne Williams.

Top Row: Doris Hamilton, *Editor;* Virginia George, *Chaplain;* Pauline Cramer, *Vice-President of Peldges;* Vernelle Cox, *President of Pledges;* Alice Wharton, *Secretary of Pledges;* Kathryn Krause, *Treasurer;* Lois Rush, *Historian.*

Row 2: Jane Bovard, *Registrar;* Marilyn Partridge, *Secretary;* Miss Jessie Jutten, *Co-Sponsor;* Mrs. Elaine Mauzey, *Co-Sponsor;* Dorothy June Masters, *President;* Beverly Johnson, *Vice-President;* Sue Philp, *Rush Captain.*

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

Phi Phi chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha, now a member of the National Pan-Hellenic Council, has been active on this campus since 1928. The aim of the sorority is to establish a sisterhood that will develop its members intellectually, socially and spiritually.

Alpha Sigma Alpha feels that only through participation can members acquire experiences needed for the development of capable leadership. The local chapter is therefore grateful for the increased opportunity for growth and development offered by the numerous professional, service and social organizations found on the campus, and encourages participation in at least two college activities.

Aiming toward a well balanced combination of leadership traits, the sorority feels that service is the keynote of strength and growth and has always sponsored at least one social service project each year. This year the "Alpha Sigs" sponsored a clothing drive, called the "Marshall Plan Junior."

Alpha Sigma Alpha encourages high scholastic accomplishments and is in competition with the two other campus sororities for the Scholarship Cup which is to be awarded to the one with the highest scholastic average. It is necessary to win the cup three times to retain it permanently.

In addition to the variety of service activities, Alpha Sigma Alpha provided an entertaining social calendar introduced by an informal "Dude Ranch" rush party. The Alpha Sig prize-winning Minstrel Show at the Homecoming Varieties, Founder's Day Banquet, and the Alpha Sig's traditional Sweetheart Dance have been highlights.

Top Row: Betty Hudson, Dorothy Howell, Margie Ketchem, Helen Hartell, Kathryn Barmann, Rose Marie Howe.

Row 2: Ruth Holbrook, *Treasurer;* Norma Scowden, *Corresponding Secretary;* Doris Gillispie, *Recording Secretary;* Joyce Heck, *President.*

Top Row: Shirley Judy, Marilyn Fulkerson, *Co-Sponsor;* Elizabeth Roach, *Historian;* Phyllis Lash, *Chaplain;* Lois Walker.

Row 2: Norma Blodgett, Janis Lash, Norma Yeater, *Sergeant;* Janice Rhodes.

Not Shown: Mrs. Ramona Canton, *Sponsor.*

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Delta Sig activities of the year were highlighted by the visit in October of Miss Elizabeth Daniel, National President, and the party that month honoring Founders' Day.

"Chinatown" was the theme of a progressive dinner rush party with Mrs. R. T. Wright and Mrs. Sterling Surrey as hostesses. Little Paula Surrey was chosen mascot. Twelve girls were rushed and each of the twelve accepted her bid.

A Christmas bazaar, a tea for the faculty women, and a Christmas party were on the Delta Sigs' December calendar. Joyce Heck, President, attended the province meeting at Conway, Arkansas, bringing back ideas and contributions from other chapters in this area.

A "Snow Festival" of dancing and fun in a setting of winter scenery was the Sorority's January party.

The annual spring formal was held in April and an installation of officers was held in May.

Social Services by the Delta Sigs were contributions to the tuberculosis and infantile paralysis funds.

INTERMEDIATE GRADE TEACHERS

Top Row: Rose Marie Howe, *Reporter;* Ethel Benson, Betty Tiemann, Ethel Ashbrook, Mildred McMahill, Jean Polsley, *President:* Delores Cook.

Row 2: Mary Clymens, Dorothy Wilhoit, *Treasurer;* Naomi Smith, Miss Mary E. Keith, *Sponsor;* Hazel Oliver, *Secretary;* Joyce Johnson, *Vice-President;* Lina Foster. *Not Shown:* William Taff.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Top Row: Florine Wolf, Phyllis Butts, Mary Hartman, Willa Breckenridge, *Treasurer;* Julia Polton, Marilyn Partridge, Phyllis Bagley, Carol Hilliard, Wilma Bell.

Row 2: Marilyn House, *Vice-President;* Jean Jacoby, Nila Geer, Madge Miller, Betty Jenkins, Elizabeth Roach, Irma Lee Hull, Thelma Palma, Virginia Snowberger.

Row 3: Joy Gibson, Lavonne Wescott, *Secretary;* Shirley Collier, Mary Loyce Rockwell, *President;* Roberta Berry, Effie Moffitt, Donna Fulton, Betty Smith, Julia Sheumaker, Arlene Davis.

Not Shown: Rita Barmann, Daisy Schenkel, Ruth Jean Burns, Patricia McIntyre, Patsy Hagee, Martha Jean Byerrum, Betty Engle.

INTERMEDIATE GRADE TEACHERS

The Intermediate Grade Teachers Club is an education club for students who intend to teach grades four, five, and six.

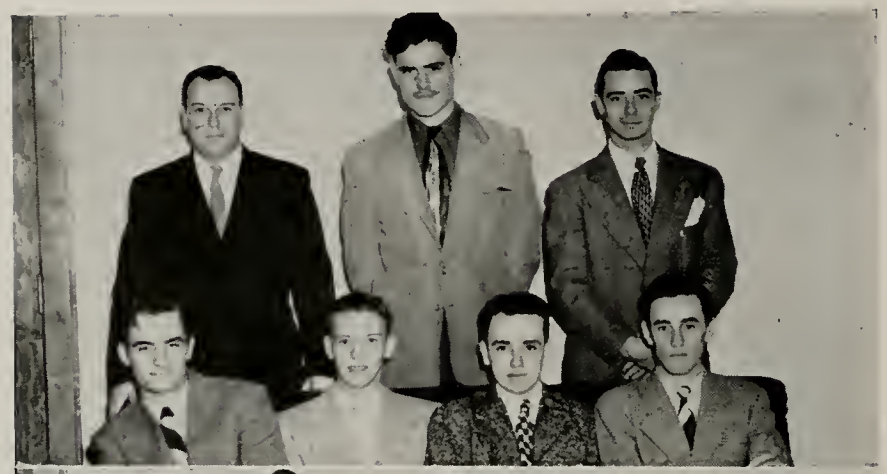
Majors in Intermediate Education who maintain at least an M average are eligible for membership. It is sponsored by Miss Keith of the Education Department.

The club meets every two weeks at Horace Mann School. Every third meeting is devoted to social activity.

COLLEGE HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The purpose of the College Home Economics Club is to promote friendship and genuine teamwork among home economics students, to develop good leadership and intelligent fellowship, to encourage creative arts, to encourage improvement in scholarship, to provide social, business, and professional experiences, to co-operate with other local clubs, and with state and national groups.

ALPHA PHI OMEGA



Top Row: Virgil Skinner, Giles Henggeler, Loren Workman, *Treasurer.*

Row 2: George Stegall, Kenneth Hoegh, *Historian and Reporter;* John Owen, Joseph Roach.

Top Row: John Garrett, Robert Tebow, *Corresponding Secretary;* Wendell Spoor, Robert Baldwin, Justyn Graham.

Row 2: Leslie Parker, William Blackman, Richard Sears, Herman Hausheer, *Secretary.*

Top Row: Robert Eldrige, Frank Stonner, Russel Terhune, Harold Tarpley, Wells Andrews, George Silver.

Row 2: John Tilton, Howard Taylor, Herbert Hinton, Robert Bixler.

Not Shown: James M. Conway, Gerald A. Cox, Hayden Elroy, *Pledge-master.*

Top Row: Irving Silver, *Vice-President;* Charles Greene.

Row 2: Kenneth Bowers, Gordon Bixler, *Sergeant at Arms;* Ross Johnson.

ALPHA PHI OMEGA

The Beta Upsilon Chapter of the Alpha Phi Omega was reorganized on the campus during the fall quarter of 1946 with the able assistance of Mr. Sidney B. North, National Secretary of the Fraternity. During the first year the fraternity has increased three fold.

Being a service fraternity, Alpha Phi Omega crosses all lines of honorary, social, and professional fraternities and members of other campus organization.

The purposes of Alpha Phi Omega are "to assemble college men in the fellowship of the Scout Oath and Law, to develop friendship and service to humanity."

The year's activities began with an annual Fall Smoker which attracted prospective members. The goals set forth by Mr. John Taylor, faculty advisor, of the Social Science Department, at that meeting have been accomplished.

During the past year the Beta Upsilon Chapter participated as ushers in the annual Northwest Missouri Teachers Convention and at weekly assemblies, served as guides during Senior Day, helped the city police force in maintaining order during the Homecoming Parade, operated a check room at Christmas Ball, acted as assistant scoutmasters, served on Courts of Honor, aided in the collection for March of Dimes, and participated in a Homecoming skit.

The social activities held were; a banquet in honor of new pledges and new members, a dance at Country Club, a smoker for new pledges in January, and the first Formal Spring Dance.

PHI SIGMA EPSILON

Top Row: Paul Fisher, Bradley Moore, James Swensen, Mack Miller, Garland Headrick, Bobby Anderson, Kenneth Parsons, Glen Meredith, Robert Bixler, Jackson Miller, Gaylord Headrick, Donald Schultz.

Row 2: J. D. Elliott, Richard Leet, William Baker, Mr. Clifford Kensinger, *Honorary Member;* William Garrett, Peter Jantz.

Top Row: James Malson, Russell Pierce, Walt Lovejoy, Robert Bradley, James Zink, Donald Snyder, Edward Reece, Robert Miller, Robert Jones, Marvin Carmichael, Jerry Morrissey, Dean Hoshor.

Row 2: Harland Judd, James Allan, Robert Osburn, Philip Carter, John Summa, Billy Ham.

Top Row: Donald Pipes, Donald Jensen, Kenneth Hogan, Forrest Meadows, Herman Hausheer, Zea Grissinger, Warren Davidson, Arthur Anderson, Robert Gill.

Row 2: Irwin Thomas, Weldon Hogan, Lloyd Younger, Melville Strong, William Coons, Robert Wiard.

Top Row: Mr. Herbert Dieterich, *Sponsor;* John Sheil, *Corresponding Secretary;* Jack Summers, *Treasurer;* Mr. W. T. Garrett, *Sponsor;* Arthur Walsh, *Pledge Master;* Robert Jones, *Historian.*

Row 2: Brooks Wade, Harold Hall, *President;* Fred Davis, *Vice-President;* David Arthur, *Secretary.*

Not Shown: Gordon Bixler, Gaylord Coleman, John Garrett, Ted McLain, Earl Pope, Jack Russell, Franklin Bithos, Donald Dale, Robert Harbour.

PHI SIGMA EPSILON

Yes, it did happen! Last year's prediction was fulfilled! The Nu Chapter of Phi Sigma Epsilon again experienced its most successful year.

As a result of the Fall Quarter Smoker held at the Tivoli Theater Lounge, twenty pledges were taken into the brotherhood making an active membership of forty-one. During the fall quarter a pledge dance was enjoyed at the Country Club with Bradley Moore's Orchestra furnishing the music.

Three Phi Sig members were honored by appearing in the 1948 Who's Who. These were Gaylord Coleman, John Garrett, and Theodore Mueller.

Again we found the fraternity participating in the intramural tournaments. Three teams were provided for the basketball tournament. The Phi Sigs teamed with the Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority to contribute three teams to the co-educational volleyball tournament.

Speaking of teaming up with our sister sorority—no one will surely forget the Phi Sig-Tri Sig Swing Band that won first place in the Homecoming Variety Show.

Honorary Members of the Fraternity are Mr. Taylor, Mr. Kensinger, Mr. Neece, Dr. Persons, Mr. Skaith, and Mr. Surrey. Our sponsors are Mr. W. T. Garrett and Mr. H. R. Dieterich.

The informal dances, smokers and the annual All-Greek Formal Dance will long be remembered. But, as usual, the most awaited social event of the year was the Phi Sig Annual Spring Formal.

SIGMA TAU GAMMA

Top Row: William Schweikert, James Smith, John Daly, Robert Olson, Wilbert Johnson, Edwin French, Dewey Drennen, Kenneth McMillen, Maurice Wheeler, Joseph Tolbert, William Bowness, John Wood.

Row 2: Donald Hartness, Donald Hoffman, James Waller, Robert Wilson, Robert Seckington, Patrick Zuchowski.

Top Row: Paul Moyer, Robert Mann, Arthur Snodgrass, James Page, Glenn Sherry, Norman James, Floyd Klang, Bill Christenson, Calvin Boyd, William Moore, Warren Stanton.

Row 2: Billie Coulter, Thomas Neylon, William King, Rex Adams, Charles Rupe, George Gooden.

Top Row: William Kilby, Marion Sherer, Delbert Gabbert, James Hainey.

Row 2: Marion Freeman, Robert Waldmire, Joseph Roach, Donald Gamble, W. T. Dawson, Charles Wright, Charles Greene, Richard Kabel, Walter Moody, Dan Emerson, Max Kinney, Homer Long.

Row 3: Roland Gordon, Byron Baker, Jack Slack, Donald Houston, Hollis Voas, William Ward, Raymond Nally, Dean Steeby.

Top Row: Arthur Bahr, Melvin Wharton, *Treasurer;* Willard Huggins, *Saga Scribe;* Marvin Doran, Dale Standage, *Corresponding Secretary.*

Row 2: Mr. Leslie White, *Sponsor;* Roger Wren, *President;* Wilmer Martin, *Secretary.*

Not Shown: Robert Burris, Kenneth Hoegh, Warren Horne, Harold Johnson, *Vice-President;* Gene Pemberton, Robert Cobb, *Historian.*

SIGMA TAU GAMMA

Sigma Tau Gamma, better known as "Sig Taus" is the oldest national social fraterity in the United States. It is a member of the association of Teachers College Fraternities. This fraternity was founded at Warrensburg, Missouri in 1920 with Theta Chapter being installed on this campus April 2, 1927.

The purpose of the "Taus" is to promote lasting fellowship, to train for leadership, to enrich social orientation and adjustment, to stimulate more extensive participation in extra-curricular school activities, to emphasize social democracy.

At the beginning of the fall quarter thirty-seven enthusiastic, cooperative members were eager for a successful year. At pledgeship there were twenty-eight new members initiated making the chapter the largest in the history of Theta Chapter.

During the summer the alumni and actives had cooperated in a drive to establish a housing fund to provide a permanent home for the "Taus."

A well rounded social life was exercised this year with numerous picnics and informal parties and two smokers. Many grads were welcomed to the alumni dinner during Homecoming. The "Tau" calendar also included the All Greek Dance. The gala event of the year was the Sigma Tau Gamma Spring Formal at the Country Club April 24.

The social program of Sigma Tau Gamma is an important complement to the formal education of the classroom assisting in making the institution more attractive and vital to men students.

KAPPA OMICRON PHI

Kappa Omicron Phi is a professional Home Economics Fraternity for girls with high scholastic ratings and high ideals.

The Alpha chapter of Kappa Omicron Phi was organized on this campus with Miss Hettie M. Anthony as founder, in 1922, thus giving Northwest Missouri State Teachers College the distinction of being the first chapter of this national organization. Three of the founders; Miss Hettie M. Anthony, Miss Mabel Cook, Miss Anna Houston, and alumnae members were present at the Founders Day Banquet in December celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary.

The Kappa Omicron Phi float in the Homecoming Parade won second prize.

Membership includes eleven active members and five pledges who are Willa Breckenridge, Sergia Fries, Thelma Palma, Dorothy June Masters and Virginia Ann George.

Top Row: Phyllis Combs, *Guard:* Mary Margaret Martin, Virginia Snowberger, Shirley Burger, *Distaff Reporter:* Lavonne Wescott, *Keeper of Archives:* Phyllis Butts, *Corresponding Secretary.*

Row 2: Patricia Straight, *Treasurer;* Irma Lee Hull, *Recording Secretary:* Mary Loyce Rockwell, *Second Vice-President:* Dr. June Cozine, *Sponsor:* Madge Miller, *President:* Marilyn Partridge, *First Vice-President.*

Not Shown: Thelma Palma, Virginia Ann George, Willa Breckenridge.

ALPHA PSI OMEGA

Top Row: Verlin Tompkins, Sammy Carpenter, *Secretary;* William Elam, Richard Thomas, Jean Bush.
Row 2: Betty Hudson, George MacLellan, *Vice-President;* Mary Clarke, *President;* Mr. Robert Gee, *Sponsor.*

Not Shown: Joseph Roach, Zea Grissinger, Ann Fay.

Kappa Sigma Chapter of Alpha Psi Omega was installed on the campus in September of 1947. The purpose of this honorary fraternity is to promote training of its members in dramatics, acting, directing, casting, make-up, stage managing, and stage construction as extra curricular activities. Membership in the fraternity is the ultimate goal of members of the Dramatics Club.

Charter members of the fraternity were Mary Clarke, President; George MacLellan, Vice-President; Sammy Carpenter, Secretary; Betty Hudson, Jean Bush, Richard Thomas, Joseph Roach, William Elam, Ann Fay, Zea Grissinger, and Verlin Tompkins. Mr. Robert Gee, of the speech department, is Sponsor of the group.

During the year, Alpha Psi Omega cooperated with the Dramatics club in presenting two major plays, "Playboy of the Western World," and "Blythe Spirit." Members also presented several one act plays for college and neighboring secondary school audiences.

PI OMEGA PI

Top Row: Mr. Clifford Kensinger, *Honorary Member;* Raymond Nally, Gaylord Coleman, Manley Thomson, Robert Wood, Wendell Wilson.

Row 2: Mr. Sterling Surrey, *Honorary Member;* Reta Fulk, Alice Spainhower, Jeanne Taylor, *Secretary-Treasurer;* Virginia George, *President;* Mrs. Margaret Neece, *Sponsor.*

Row 3: Miss Helen Johnson, *Sponsor;* Ruth Wyatt, *Historian;* Doris Gillispie, *Vice-President;* Iris Wehrli, Harland Judd.

Not Shown: James Courtney, Ruth Holbrook, Gilmer Walker, Don Prindle, William Grant, Lee Hoover, Wilmer Martin.

Beta Chapter of Pi Omega Pi, National Honorary Business Fraternity, was organized on this campus in 1924, and since then has initiated 300 members.

To become eligible for membership, a candidate must have expressed an intention of becoming a teacher of business subjects. Actives must have ten semester hours in business subjects with an average of "S," five semester hours in education, and an average of "M" in all subjects taken outside the Department of Business. The main purposes of the fraternity are to create a feeling of fellowship among business teachers, to uphold high scholastic standards, and to develop, through service and leadership, social qualities and high ethical ideals.

Social functions took the form of parties, banquets, a dance, and a field trip. On the instructional side, the chapter showed films and had discussions related to the teaching of business subjects.

Mr. Surrey, Chairman of the Department of Commerce, Mr. Garner, and Mr. Kensinger are honorary members of the organization.

KAPPA DELTA PI

Top Row: Margaret Turner, Dr. John Hart, *Sponsor;* Iris Wehrli, Emerson Matthews, Gaylord Coleman, Paul Gates, Elanor Vogel, Ernest Witt, Doris Gillispie.

Row 2: J. R. Carpenter, Irma Lee Hull, Janice Bentall, Marjorie White, Jeanne Taylor, John Garrett.
Not Shown: Sarah Harness, Orville Findley.

Kappa Delta Pi is a national Honor Society in Education which compares favorably with Phi Beta Kappa in liberal arts colleges. Its purpose is to encourage high professional, intellectual, and personal standards, and to recognize students who have made outstanding records. To this end it invites to membership such persons as exhibit commendable personal qualities, worthy educational ideals, and sound scholarship. Such persons must be at least of Junior standing, rank among the upper quartile of the student body in scholarship, and be preparing for the teaching profession.

It is with great pride that the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College presents these students as the charter members of this new campus-wide, national honor society. Only colleges and universities with accredited scholarship and professional standards can have their applications for the installation of such a society approved. Much preparation and work by many faculty members has made this possible. The formal installation ceremonies were held April 27.

STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

Top Row: Wilma Bell, Effie Moffitt, Arby Edwards, Donald Lyle, Arthur Whitworth, Norma Snyder, *Vice-President;* Alice Spainhower.

Row 2: Hurst Hogan, Dorotha Adams, *President:* Lucile Cockayne, Jeanne Taylor, Justyn Graham, *Treasurer;* Dr. Joseph Dreps, *Sponsor.*

Not Shown: Donna Martin, *Secretary;* Dale Miller, Harold Baker, Betty Burson, Leon Dreps, Faire Drewes, Mary Garrett, James Hainey, Rosemary Hansford, James Jennings, Bonnie Polk, Julia Sheumaker, Dorothy Smith, Carolyn Steel, Ruth Stucki, Viola Turner, Joan Wadhams, Ruth Wyatt, Dr. Irene Mueller, *Sponsor;* Dr. Harry Dildine, *Sponsor.*

The Student Christian Association is an organization devoted to the expression of united Christian youth on this campus. It is interdenominational, and composed of the former Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. members. It was organized in the spring of 1945 and became officially recognized by the United Christian Council on May 22, 1946.

Religious Emphasis Week was one of the main campus activities entered into by the Association. Members of the Association participated in the Week by presiding at daily assemblies and by being youth leaders in seminars.

The goal of the Student Christian Association is one that belongs to followers of Christ over the world, to bring his kingdom to earth. It is seeking to prove that Jesus Christ is Lord in education as well as politics, economics, social welfare and religion.

FOREIGN STUDENTS CLUB

Top Row: Abelardo Patino, Thelma Palma, *President;* Nicholas Marinos, *Reporter;* Pierre Sotteau, *Secretary;* Olindina de Castro, George Rocos.

Row 2: Arminda Zelaya, Liticia Pinzon, Manuel Gadea, *Vice-President;* Anais Vernaza, *Treasurer;* Diana Yip. *Not Shown:* Berta Escurra, Hilda Jolly.

As President Jones once said upon introducing the foreign students to a meeting, "They give us, with the information that they bring about their countries, much more than we give them. They contribute toward a better understanding between the Americans and a great number of other countries of the world."

In the summer quarter of 1947 a constitution for a new Foreign Students Club was formulated. After a period of expectation the creation of the club was approved. Dr. Blanche H. Dow was chosen sponsor.

There are nine nationalities represented on the campus. Europe, Asia, and South America have sent their young people to share the light of knowledge with their American friends.

CO-OPERATIVE INDEPENDENT CLUB

The Co-operative Independent Club, an organization for college students who are not affiliated with a social sorority nor a social fraternity, was reorganized on the campus in the fall of 1946 after an absence of four years.

The club has been successful in attaining many objectives during the past year. Among other things, much activity was devoted to the promotion of student leadership and school spirit among its own members and those who are not members of social organizations and to the development of well-rounded students through wholesome recreation and social activities.

During the Homecoming Festivities the club members made and sponsored a float, presenting the Maryville Bearcats eating a Cape Girardeau Indian pie.

Social life consisted of a gala Christmas party, informal dances, square dances, card parties, general parties, skit programs, a formal dinner and a trip to Kansas City.

Top Rou: Clyde Bowen, Richard Palmer, William Elam, *Vice-President;* Lee Hoover, Richard Appleman, Robert Osgood, Harry Elder, Dwain Jones.

Row 2: Manley Thomson, *President;* Alice Spainhower, Mary Reece, Mary Hartman, Janice Grooms, Roberta Mitchell, Charlene Hartness, Dorothy Hunziger, Hazel Oliver.

Row 3: Nancy Dean, Margaret Elliott, Hayden Elroy, Mahlon Hewitt, Hubert Null, Doran Bowen, *Treasurer;* Miss Judith Thom, *Sponsor.*

Row 4: Miss Janet Dickey, *Sponsor;* Julia Sheumaker, Dorotha Adams, Rosemary Hansford, Lucile Cockayne, Irma Hull, *Secretary;* Wilma Bell, Hurst Hogan.

Not Shown: Donna Martin, Arby Edwards, William Bucker, Barbara Bucker, Darl Gard, Donald Lyle, Norma Snyder, William Schettle, Thelma Weaver, Willa Breckenridge, Theodore Weichinger, Relden Jackson, Bonnie Polk.

NEWMAN CLUB

The Newman Club was organized on this campus in 1922, and is a member of the National Newman Club Federation. Membership is open to all Catholic students and other interested students who are accepted by the members.

The object of the club is to foster the spiritual, social, and intellectual interests of its members, to make them mutually helpful and to contribute in every way possible toward the success of all activities of the school.

Meetings, which are held in the Bearcat Den on alternate Thursday evenings, consist of lectures, discussions, study groups, business sessions, and social events. These meetings are a source of knowledge and stimulation to its members.

Misses Margaret and Katherine Franken are the sponsors of the organization.

Top Row: Manuel Gadea, Charlene Harman, Howard Taylor, *Vice-President;* Clifford Willis, James Hinchey, *Program Committee Chairman;* Ted McLain, *Reporter;* Marvin Doran.

Row 2: Margaret Ford, Thelma Palma, Mary Martin, Charles Hinchey, *Social Committee Chairman;* Pierre Sotteau, Maurice Merrigan.

Row 3: Rita Barmann, Dorothea Carter, *Secretary;* Abelardo Patino, Mark Christine, *President;* Leticia Pinzon, Donald Merrigan, Joseph Roach, *Treasurer.*

Row 4: Arminda Zelaya, Olindina de Castro, Mary McQuaid, Kathryn Barmann, Catherine Carter, Anais Vernaza, Diana Yip.

Not Shown: Miss Margaret Franken, *Sponsor;* Miss Katherine Franken, *Sponsor.*

COMMERCE AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CLUB

Top Row: Ted McLain, James Courtney, Dale Street, Lee Hoover, *Vice-President;* David Arthur, Louis Watkins, Raymond Nally, Joseph Tolbert, Gaylord Coleman, Robert Wood, Wendell Wilson, Howard Taylor, Harold Baker, Kenneth Bowers, Marvin Doran, Mr. Clifford Kensinger, *Sponsor.*

Row 2: Reva Jo Kerns, Ann Miller, *Secretary-Treasurer;* Margaret Teaford, Mrs. Margaret Neece, *Sponsor;* Thesis Robinson, Mary Neville, Jeanne Taylor, Jack Summers, Mary Laughlin, Ruth Holbrook, Helen Fisher, William Grant, Gaylord Headrick.

Row 3: Shirley Crow, Marilyn King, June Kennedy, Jean Jacoby, Deloris Lynch, Norma Blodgett, Shirley Judy, Veronica Stephenson, Alice Spainhower, Donald Merrigan, Manley Thomson, *President;* Thomas Atkins.

Row 4: Miss Helen Johnson, *Sponsor;* Rosemary Feurt, Vonda Mason, Marilyn Jackson, Bernice Shaver, Joyce Heck, *Publicity Chairman;* Beverly Johnson, Kathleen Jennings, Melville Strong, Mahlon Hewitt, Jack Slack, Mr. Sterling Surrey, *Sponsor.*

Not Shown: William Bowness, Hayden Elroy, Edward Reece, Sylvester Lager, Loren Workman, Rjean Black, Herman Freel, Bettie Stevenson, Donald Kampman, Kathryn Krause, Donald Nance, Dorothy Howell, Eugene Ceglenski, James Malson, William Kilby, Arthur Walsh, Clyde Bowen, Gordon Bixler, Richard Schoneman, Alan Robb, Don Dressler, William Moore, Robert Waldmire, Hubert Null, Barbara Munson, Bob Anderson, Bruce Mitchell, Betty Barrett, James Waller, Patricia Hawman, Gene Upschulte, Gilmer Walker, Marjorie Burton, Joan Trively, Luther Belcher, Robert Wilson, Keith Thrasher, William H. Ward, Harold Walters, Robert Mann, Leslie Parker, Don Prindle, Warren Stanton.

The Commerce and Business Administration Club was organized on the campus in the winter of 1946-47. This organization has been successful in fostering an interest and understanding among the commerce students of the problems of the business world. C.B.A. has also provided greater social contact between commerce students and faculty members.

The social functions of the year included a get acquainted party, a skating party, movie dance party, and a spring dance. C.B.A. also presented a Mock Trial as an assembly. However, the event of the year was the C.B.A. Banquet held January 27, 1948 at Residence Hall in celebration of the club's first birthday.

ASSOCIATION for CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Top Row: Roberta Mitchell, Frances Pfander, Betty Jane Tiemann, Dorothea Carter, Ann Curnutt, Bedonna White, Margaret Curry, Margaret Ford, Bonnie Pace, *Vice-President;* Nancy Dean, Miss Chloe Millikan, *Sponsor.*

Row 2: Virginia Utz, Margie Ketchem, Wanda Ashford, Hazel Oliver, Delores Cook, Dorothy Fuhrman, Wanda Praiswater, Louise Chaney, Barbara Campbell, Janet Andler.

Row 3: Rachel Robinson, *Treasurer;* Rose Marie Howe, Ethel Benson, Betty McCowen, *Reporter;* Patti Bosch, Ilene Nicholson, Mary Clarke, *Secretary;* Jeanne Bahl, *Social Chairman;* Anna Parham.

Row 4: Dorothy Wilhoit, Arminda Zelaya, Margaret Turner, *President;* Pauline Cramer, Margaret Elliott, Irene Toland, Marilyn House, Mary Schooler, Dorothy Hunzinger.

Not Shown: Helen Davis, Betty McDonald, Alice Hoskins, Gueynetha Miller, Thelma Weaver, Elmerna McCoun, Mary Kirchofer, Alice Weir Colyn, Mary Botkin.

The Association for Childhood Education is a student branch of a great international organization. The organization has as its chief interest the guidance of young children of nursery, kindergarten, primary and intermediate grade school levels.

Soon after the chapter was reorganized for the year A.C.E. took top honors for a float in the Homecoming Parade. The chapter was also awarded third prize for a skit in the Variety Show. However, the highest honor of Homecoming week came when Miss Margaret Curry, an active member, was crowned queen of the festival.

During the fall and winter months, clothing and school materials were packed and sent to a group of needy children in Belgium.

The Maryville Chapter was honored when Miss Rachel Robinson was chosen as the only student on the board to plan the National Convention. Miss Millikan and several members journeyed to St. Louis to the convention the week of April 19.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

Top Row: Manuel Gadea, Leon Dreps, *Reporter;* Pierre Sotteau, Joseph Tolbert, Nicholas Marinos, John Parham, *President.*

Row 2: Abelardo Patino, Olindina de Castro, William Grant, *Vice-President;* George Ashworth, John Garrett, Dr. John Harr, *Sponsor.*

Row 3: Arminda Zelaya, Diana Yip, Anais Vernaza, Jeanne Taylor, *Secretary-Treasurer;* Anna Parham.

Not Shown: James Jennings, Stanley Baker, William Schettle, R. D. Hall, *Program Chairman;* Helen Fisher.

The International Relations Club is not an exclusive social organization but is composed of a group of students who are interested in world affairs, international relations and economic and political problems. They are students who are serious thinkers and who realize that national and international well being is as much their responsibility as it is the responsibility of those who execute governmental policy.

The programs for the bi-monthly meetings are based upon discussion of world affairs. In these discussions the members do not attempt to solve the problems of today but to exchange information pertaining to the relations and affairs which constitute the problems. These programs are planned and participated in by students.

The International Relations Club is assisted by the Carnegie Foundation which distributes news bulletins, International Conciliation Bulletins and suggestions for programs and discussion.

VARSITY VILLAGERS

Top Row: June Kennedy, Mary Queck, Mary Lou Laughlin, Norma Snyder, *Vice-President and Social Chairman;* Bedonna White, Effie Moffitt, Bonnie Pace, Mrs. Harry Sheetz, *Sponsor.*

Row 2: Alice Spainhower, Lucile Cockayne, Roberta Mitchell, *Treasurer;* Maxine Snyder, Ethel Benson, Phyllis Bagley, Florine Wolf.

Row 3: Martha Byerrum, Charlene Hartness, *President;* Dorotha Adams, Irma Hull, Ilene Nicholson, Wilma Bell, Arlene Davis, *Secretary.*

Not Shown: Catherine Carter, Louise Helzer, Patsy Hagee, Sarah Harness, Beverly McCowen, Charlene Schenkel, Mary Reece, Beverly Tobin, Darlene Winslow.

This organization is open to any college woman not residing in Residence Hall. Its purposes are to give town women an opportunity for student government, to create a spirit of fellowship among the girls living in town, to promote high ideals and standards of living, to create a cultural and social atmosphere and to develop leadership among college women.

The governing body is the Varsity Villager Council, which is composed of the association's officers, a representative of each organized house and proportional representation of the students living in unorganized houses.

Varsity Villagers sponsored an all school "Get Acquainted Party" the night of registration for the fall quarter. Entertainment included mixers, dancing and eating.

In February a reception was given in the Bearcat Den in honor of the housemothers. A Valentine theme was used.

DRAMATICS CLUB

The Dramatics Club, under the sponsorship of Mr. Robert Gee, met early in September, elected officers and set up the plans of the year.

A new constitution was drafted with a point system for membership as the featured change. A student must earn 70 points in stage and crew work to become an active member in the Dramatics Club.

The two main productions, directed by Mr. Gee, were the well known "Blithe Spirit" by Noel Coward, and "The Playboy of The Western World" by J. M. Synge. These and many one act plays served to uphold the two purposes of the club which are to promote student activity in dramatics and to increase appreciation of the theatre and its arts.

An "on stage party" was given early in January. Skits and story telling made up the evening's entertainment.

Top Row: George MacLellan, Robert Wright, Zea Grissinger, *President;* William Elam, Arthur Whitworth, Richard Palmer, Richard Thomas.

Row 2: George Silver, Robert Mann, Verlin Tompkins, *Vice-President;* Sammy Carpenter, Mr. Robert Gee, *Sponsor;* Hubert Null, Reid Anderson.

Row 3: Jeanne Taylor, Dorotha Adams, Jean Bush, Beverly Edelman, Mary Clarke, Ann Fay, Donna Martin, Betty Hudson.

Row 4: Mary Scott, Betty Smith, Beverly McCowen, Lina Foster, Ruth McDowell, *Treasurer;* Betty Collins, Margaret Elliott.

Not Shown: Margaret Fisher, *Secretary;* Kathleen Jennings, Leland McGinness, Joseph Roach, Maxine Robbins, Gene Starr, Irene Toland, Naomi White, Manetha White, Mary Lee White, Betty Williams, William Yates, Norma Yeater.

AG CLUB

Top Row: Frank Stonner, James Greenwood, Robert Duncan, Forest Meadows, Charles Hinchey, Dale Miller, James Hinchey, John Haun, Lyle Miller.

Row 2: Donald Haun, Wilber Holland, Keith Thrasher, Richard Neal, Arthur Whitworth, William Manship, Donald Lyle, Carroll Scott, John Parham.

Row 3: Harold Clymens, Eldon Collins, Kenneth Privett, Edward Dakan, Max Jordon, Delbert Gabbert, Darrell Grace, Wheaton Dawson.

Row 4: Mr. F. B. Houghton, *Sponsor;* Bill Burns, *Vice-President;* Paul Clark, *Secretary;* William A. Bowness, *President;* William Coons, *Parliamentarian;* David Arthur, *Reporter;* Maurice Merrigan, *Treasurer;* Donald Grace, Richard Owens.

Not Shown: Sammy Carpenter, John Ewing, Donnis Rice, Clifford Willis, Gene Whitmire, Oren Staley, Paul Baker, Harvey Wright.

The Ag Club is one of the newest organizations on the campus. It was organized on October 28, 1947 with Mr. F. B. Houghton serving as sponsor. Those charter members who were selected to lead the club in its first year were William A. Bowness, president; Paul Clark, secretary; William Burns, vice-president; Maurice Merrigan, treasurer; William Coons, parliamentarian; and David Arthur, reporter.

Soon after the club was organized, the members began work on a float for the Homecoming Parade. Although this was the club's first attempt for recognition it was awarded third prize.

In the spring quarter the club sponsored a Livestock Judging Contest. The awards were given at the banquet which the members and their guests attended.

The Ag Club is proud of its achievements and is looking forward to next year's activities.

DANCE CLUB

Members: Ruth Jean Burns, Marjorie Burton, Shirley Collier, Betty Collins, Vernelle Cox, June DeWitt, Margaret Elliott, Juanita Ford, Lina Foster, Dorothy Harshaw, *Vice-President;* Dorothy Hunziger, Dolores Keown, Kathryn Krause, *President;* Dorothy Masters, Beverly McCowen, Patricia McIntyre, Meredee Myers, *Secretary;* Marilyn Partridge, Sue Philp, Betty Smith, Thesis Robinson, Lavonne Wescott, *Historian;* Mary White, Lois Easton, Elaine Anderson, *Treasurer;* Pauline Cramer, Mary Booth, Hazel Oliver.

The Dance Club under the direction of Miss Wincie Ann Carruth has presented several special programs in surrounding communities as well as the traditional Hanging of the Greens and the annual Spring Program.

The highlight of the year was the privilege of working with Dr. Laban of the University of Michigan, as a demonstration group in Kansas City on April 1.

The Dance Club promoted a renewal of square dancing on the campus.

WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Top Row: Ruth Stucki, Luanne Rhoades, Beverly Osburn, Margaret Teaford, Margaret Curry, Charlene Harman, Irma Jensen, Helen Fisher.

Row 2: Julia Sheumaker, Joyce Wehrli, Wanda Ashford, Mary Lee White, Nila Geer, Mary Neville, Mary Booth.

Row 3: Frances Huntsman, Charlotte Turner, Patsy Hagee, Carolyn Steel, Jaunita Ford, Margaret Berry, Margaret Bowness.

Row 4: Margaret Turner, *Reporter;* Vee Oyerly, *Treasurer;* Dorothy Harshaw, Miss Bonnie Magill, *Sponsor;* Mary Bilby, *Secretary;* Lois Gorden, *President;* Meredee Myers.

Not Shown: Dorothy Masters, *Vice-President;* Arlene Davis, *Historian;* Shirley Burton, Dorothy Smith, Maureen Bird, Lois Easton, Dorothy Hunziger.

The Women's Athletic Association was organized in 1925 on the campus for the purpose of promoting a spirit of loyalty among girls, to encourage participation in healthful recreation, and to interest high school graduates in college.

Major activities of the club were the softball season, managed by Meredee Myers, the basketball tournament, managed by Beverly Osburn, and the annual spring playday under the direction of Dorothy Harshaw.

NORTHWEST MISSOURIAN

The Northwest Missouri Staff came to the campus with varied ideas and intentions but have all had a vital interest in the publication of the official newspaper of the Northwest Missouri State Teachers College.

Besides the regular staff, which has been composed mainly of English and pre-journalism majors, students in Newswriting and Northwest Missourian Staff classes have contributed regularly to the success of the paper.

Staff members have been impressed with the necessity of meeting deadlines in order that the paper might come out on time.

The Maryville Daily Forum prints the paper which is received by the students, alumni, and other subscribers every two weeks.

Top Row: Roger Wren, Bruce Peters, Robert Mann, Jewell Rice, James Waller.

Row 2: Richard Kabel, William Agler, Paul Basford, William Logan, James Allan, Charles Rupe.

Row 3: Jean Bush, Helen Fisher, Wilma Bell, Ludene Pollard, Barbara McGee, Alice White, Kathleen Jennings, Patsy Hagee, Daisy Schenkel, Delores Cook, Helen Spire.

Row 4: Norma Scowden, William Elam, *Associate Editor;* Paul Gates, *Editor;* Miss Violette Hunter, *Faculty Advisor;* Carolyn Steel.

Not Shown: Harold Johnson, Charles Scruby, Patricia Smith, John Milligan, Billie Coulter.

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Top Row: Melvin Hubble, *Assistant Art Editor;* William Elam, Charles Hinchey, Paul Gates, *Athletics Reporter.*

Row 2: Mary Lou Laughlin, *Personnel Editor;* Robert Lindsay, Anna Parham, *Assistant Editor;* Ruth Wyatt, *Typist;* William Baker.

Row 3: Helen Fisher, *Copy Editor;* Mr. Howard Ringold, *Faculty Advisor;* John Parham, *Editor;* Jack Summers, *Business Manager;* Carl Kennedy, *Art Editor.*

Not Shown: Beverly McCowen, *Reporter;* Rachel Robinson, *Reporter;* Leon Dreps, *Reporter;* Richard Palmer, Miss Alta B. Carpenter, *Literary Advisor.*

This year the Tower Staff has attempted to produce a book which portrays the life of the student on this campus and at the same time weave into the book a theme which emphasizes the cultural phase of the College. They feel sure that in future years the former students will wish to recall with pleasure those art reproductions belonging to the College.

The Staff wishes to express appreciation to Miss Alta B. Carpenter for her long hours of literary advice, Mr. Howard Ringold, Advisor to the Tower Staff, Mr. Richard M. Ong of the Grimes-Joyce Printing Company, and Mr. John Colgan of the Colgan Engraving Company.

Long hours of work have gone into the making of this book. The Staff hopes it meets with your approval.

WHO'S WHO

Top Row: Marilyn Partridge, Meredee Myers, Elanor Vogel, Richard Thomas.

Row 2: Mary Garrett, Gaylord Coleman, Dorothy June Masters, Emerson Matthews, Janice Bentall.

Row 3: Stanley Totoraitis, Roger Wren, John Garrett, Manley Thomson.

Row 4: Paul Gates, Margaret Turner, Iris Wehrli, Richard Appleman.

Not Shown: Theodore Mueller.

These seniors have distinguished themselves as student senators, presidents of clubs, teachers, athletes, writers, journalists, editors, actors, and honor students. In recognition of their outstanding achievement they have been selected to represent the College in the 1947-48 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

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